# QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAM REPORT

## October 1, 2007 – December 31, 2007

WRC-TV attempts to serve the public interest, convenience and necessity by presenting broadcast material that treats significant issues of the people in the communities served by WRC-TV station. WRC recognizes that it has an ongoing obligation to remain aware of such community issues and to exercise its best judgment as to what broadcast matter should be programmed to treat those needs and interests.

The following is a brief description of such community issues and some of the programs we believe have provided the most significant treatment of such issues during the period October 1, 2007 – December 31, 2007, including the title of such program, its time, type, source, date and duration of broadcast.

NEWS FOUR AT FIVE AND ELEVE A.M., FOUR, FIVE, SIX AND ELEVEN P.M. TYPE: News Series SOURCE: Local TIME: 5:00-7:00AM, 10:00-11:00AM, 4:00-5:00PM, 5:00-6:00PM, 6:00-7:00PM, 11:00-11:35PM, Monday – Friday; 6:00-6:30PM, Saturday and Sunday. NEWS 4 TODAY. TYPE: News SOURCE: Local TIMES: Weekdays, 5:00-7:00AM, Saturdays, 6:00-7:00AM, 9:00-10:00AM, Sundays, 6:00AM-8:00AM, and 9:00AM-10: 30AM. DURATION: See Times. WRC-TV reporters probe special issues of concern to area residents. **Stories generally appear more than once in the daily newscasts, as they are recapped throughout the day.** WRC-TV initiated, in December 1992, active closed captioning of its news broadcasts. Currently, all regularly scheduled news programs thirty minutes or longer are closed-captioned. Also, special news events sometimes are closed captioned, depending on the availability of the transcription service. The word for word transcription service includes chitchat between stories at two hundred plus words per minute, with less than a three-second delay. This effort addresses the needs of more than 300,000 deaf and hard of hearing people in the Washington area.

THE MCLAUGHLIN GROUP. TYPE: Public Affairs SOURCE: Syndicated (Originates from WRC-TV studios) TIME: Saturdays, 7:30-8:00PM, Repeated Sundays, 11:30AM. DURATION: thirty Minutes. This public affairs panel anchored by John McLaughlin, features discussion and analysis of current national and world events by five candid and respected Washington commentators.

ONE ON ONE. TYPE: Public Affairs SOURCE: Syndicated (Originates from WRC-TV) TIME: Sundays, 12:00 DURATION: Thirty Minutes. Host John McLaughlin interviews a prominent political or world leader each week on selected newsworthy issues.

REPORTERS NOTEBOOK. TYPE: Public Affairs SOURCE: Local TIME: Sundays, 6:15-6:30AM. DURATION: Fifteen Minutes. This reporter roundtable, which premiered on October 4, 1992, features discussion of public affairs issues by leading area journalists. The program is part of News 4 Today and usually is hosted by WRC-TV reporter Tom Sherwood. Journalist Milagros Ardin, WMAL-AM; Dave McConnell, WTOP-AM; and Jerry Phillips, WBIG-FM/WTEM-AM, join him.

VIEWPOINT. TYPE: Public Affairs SOURCE: Local TIME: Sundays, 7:00-7:30AM. DURATION: Thirty Minutes. WRC-TV's Joe Krebs hosts this weekly exploration of issues and

people impacting the community. The program is part of the two hour News 4 Today news block on Sundays from 6:00-8:00AM. It premiered on November 15, 1992

## I. Family/Miscellaneous

Many children in the Washington effort suffer from being denied the opportunity to grow up in a stable home with parents who can care for them emotionally and financially. WRC-TV helps these children directly through its Wednesday's Child project, described below. The station also broadcasts other news stories on the issue of adoption, some of which are described below.

NEWS FOUR AT FIVE PM. – WEDNESDAY'S CHILD. WRC-TV's Barbara Harrison, on selected Wednesdays, features a child or children who need a home, or celebrates a happy ending to an adoption story. In September, Barbara Harrison, with the Council of Governments, launched a program through which viewers may dial a phone number and find out more about adopting a child through any jurisdiction in our viewing area. Some of the stories are repeated on News 4 Sundays at nine AM. Some of the dates in which Wednesday's Child ran were:

October (3, 10, 17, 24, 31)

November (7, 14, 21, 28)

December (5, 12, 19, 26)

NEWS 4 October 1-A fire happened this morning in the 26-hundred block of Adam Mills Road.

NEWS 4 October 1-Maryland joined several other states today in a legal fight to expand children's health coverage.

NEWS 4 October 2-Fire investigators in the District say a 4-alarm fire at a condo building in northwest started accidentally.

NEWS 4 October 2-They are citizen soldiers and in recent times many have been called upon to do soldiering than they may have expected.

NEWS 4 October 2-That condo fire revealed a big problem in the City's water pipes.

NEWS 4 October 2-Education officials in Maryland are launching a statewide campaign to prevent students from abusing inhalants.

NEWS 4 October 2-City leaders and residents in eastern market are bubbling with pride this evening.

NEWS 4 October 3-Senator John Warner called his office this morning to say he passed a second procedure on his heart with flying colors.

NEWS 4 October 3-friends and colleagues are celebrating the life of Michael Lee Hopson after his passing.

NEWS 4 October 3-You could double the satisfaction of raising a child by considering the adoption of twins.

NEWS 4 October 3-It's a way to save more than half price on household items and help build homes for habitat for humanity.

NEWS 4 October 4-Two 9-year-olds who went missing in the District yesterday are safe at home tonight.

NEWS 4 October 4-There's a new pilot program in the District aimed at helping potential homebuyers who don't have a traditional credit history.

NEWS 4 October 4-There will be pets in the pews at Washington National Cathedral this evening.

NEWS 4 October 5-There is a lot of disappointment about Jones' admission.

NEWS 4 October 5-The US Postal Service will be out with a new commemorative stamp next year that will honor five journalists.

NEWS 4 October 5-A new memorial was formally dedicated today at the African Burial Ground in New York City.

NEWS 4 October 5-The historic Arlington Arts Center in Ballston is now wrapped in a 15-foot tall banner featuring hundreds of ghoulish screaming faces.

NEWS 4 October 5-With the housing market in trouble one developer in Virginia is hoping to spur on sales.

NEWS 4 October 5-The Army Ten Miller is the largest ten-mile race in the country with 26 thousand runners.

NEWS 4 October 8-Police in Montgomery County are investigating after a man is hit and killed by a train in the Gaithersburg area.

NEWS 4 October 8-Six Flags America says it doesn't know yet when it will reopen the two-face roller coaster ride.

NEWS 4 October 8-Arlington National Cemetery is expanding.

NEWS 4 October 10-Tonight's Wednesday's children are jack and Michael Werstein.

NEWS 4 October 11-Mourners gathered in Southeastern Virginia this afternoon for the funeral of Congresswoman Jo Ann Davis.

NEWS 4 October 11-The makers of some cough and cold medicines for infants are voluntarily recalling their products.

NEWS 4 October 11-Aortic valve surgery is more common than people might think.

NEWS 4 October 17-Many foster children wait for years hoping to find a permanent family, even when they're teenagers who will soon age out of the system.

NEWS 4 October 17-Researchers at Brown University are investigating children's sleep patterns to find out how sleep regulates their day.

NEWS 4 October 17-2-year-old Xayvion Banks is in good condition at Children's Hospital after falling 4 stories from a balcony.

NEWS 4 October 17-A northern Virginia man tried to break a Guinness world record today by putting on t-shirts.

NEWS 4 October 17-For more than 150 years the YMCA of Metropolitan Washington has been a part of the community but in recent years felt it might be losing its edge.

NEWS 4 October 18-A middle school in Maine could soon refer birth control pills and patches to students as young as 11.

NEWS 4 October 18-Hospital officials and emergency crews took part in a daylong mass casualty exercise at the National Naval Medical Center.

NEWS 4 October 19-Just in time for Halloween, a popular online parody site is offering a new tool that let's you star in your own online movies.

NEWS 4 October 22-It's been a week since the Board of Supervisors in Prince William County passed a resolution denying some services to illegal immigrants.

NEWS 4 October 22-High Schools in the District are going to get more high-tech security to determine who goes into and out of the schools.

NEWS 4 October 23-Firefighters in Prince George's County and Charles County worked together this morning to battle a massive house fire.

NEWS 4 October 24-The FBI is launching an arson investigation into at least one of the Southern California wildfires.

NEWS 4 October 24-Firece winds and dry air caused one wildfire to take on an unusual shape near Camp Pendleton.

NEWS 4 October 24-As fires continue to ravage hundreds of thousands of acres, local volunteers are dropping everything to head west to help.

NEWS 4 October 24-One of the local teenagers shot at Delaware State University has died.

NEWS 4 October 24-This week's Wednesday's child is a 14 year old who has a wonderful smile and a terrific disposition.

NEWS 4 October 24-A new study finds the District is among the worst places in the Nation for income inequality.

NEWS 4 October 24-There's a new study out today that shows America is a stressed out Nation.

NEWS 4 October 24-In news for your health, it's safe to say most people have trouble dealing with medical bills and insurance claims.

NEWS 4 October 25-Hundreds of residents are seeing the damage to their burned out communities for the first time.

NEWS 4 October 25-Some employees are trying to show up to work less and now there's a new website that's helping to come up with excuses.

NEWS 4 October 25-The bosses of New York's five organized crime families once considered ordering a hit on Rudy Giuliani.

NEWS 4 October 25-A mother who lost two sons to drugs and violence is speaking out and trying to help others.

NEWS 4 October 26-It's a case of murder and then arson in Frederick County Maryland, that's after a blaze that took firefighters two hours to fight.

NEWS 4 October 26-Qualcomm Stadium is closing its doors to evacuees today after housing more than 10 thousand displaced residents.

NEWS 4 October 26-On Tuesday Staff Sergeant Robin Towns of Upper Marlboro left a message for his wife from Iraq, Wednesday he died, the victim of a roadside bomb.

NEWS 4 October 29-A firefighter was injured around 3:30 in the six hundred block of fourth street in northeast.

NEWS 4 October 30-A fire happened yesterday afternoon outside a home in the 600 block of 4<sup>th</sup> street in northeast.

NEWS 4 October 30-law enforcement agencies around our area are joining together to make sure sex offenders don't take part in Halloween activities.

NEWS 4 October 30-A threatened taxicab strike is looming in the District in response to the Mayors recent decision to switch from a zoned to metered system.

NEWS 4 October 30-School safety topped the agenda today for Homeland Security Secretary Michael Chertoff and Secretary of education Margaret Spelling.

NEWS 4 October 31-There's positive news regarding four firefighters injured in a house fire on Capitol Hill Monday.

NEWS 4 October 31-Many people in our area say Georgetown is the place to be on Halloween.

NEWS 4 October 31-Wednesday's child is a boy named Peter who loves anything electronic.

NEWS 4 October 31-There is an archeology dig going on along the route of the proposed Inter County connector in Montgomery County.

NEWS 4 October 31-Owning a home is a dream that is out of reach for many low-income families in the Washington area, but one organization is working to change that.

NEWS 4 November 1-The District's new program is urging fugitives wanted for non-violent crimes to turn themselves in is a success so far.

NEWS 4 November 2-The hunt is on for a missing show dog named Sunny, she disappeared last month in Damascus.

NEWS 4 November 5-One witness described the crushed mini-van filled with 4 Northern High School students as mayhem.

NEWS 4 November 6-Friends and family are remembering a member of the DC National Guard.

NEWS 4 November 7-A DC firefighter injured in a massive blaze last week is reported to be doing better.

- NEWS 4 November 7-Wednesday's Child are brother and sister Deonte and Cornia.
- NEWS 4 November 8-Volunteers from our area are headed south today to save the lives of dozens of puppies.
- NEWS 4 November 8-Students were back in class today at LaPlata High for the first time since the accident.
- NEWS 4 November 12-Pope Benedict the 16<sup>th</sup> will visit the District in the spring during his first trip to the US.
- NEWS 4 November 12-Authorities found close to one thousand puppies at a farm in Hillsville last week.
- NEWS 4 November 12-It took 65 years but today the American Red Cross issued an apology to World War II vets.
- NEWS 4 November 13-Maryland has some of the toughest teen driving laws in the County.
- NEWS 4 November 13-Kim Ballou, her husband and their 14-year-old son were on their way to Upper Chesapeake Hospital, but the baby didn't want to wait.
- NEWS 4 November 13-It's a dilemma that many working parents have to face, what to do when their child gets sick who gets to stay home.
- NEWS 4 November 13-A new study paints a bleak portrait of racial progress in America.
- NEWS 4 November 13-A land fight worth millions of dollars began in court today.
- NEWS 4 November 14-Wednesday's Child is a lovely 12 year old who had a rough start in life with very little caring attention as a youngster.
- NEWS 4 November 14-Women who are looking for a career boost often work on the resume, their contracts and their appearance.
- NEWS 4 November 14-A local non-profit is using lessons in the kitchen year round to improve the lives of women at risk teenagers and their families.
- NEWS 4 November 14-Virginia Tech re-tested its emergency alert system today after some problems last month.
- NEWS 4 November 14-A surprise reunion at a Virginia school when a soldier on two weeks leave from Iraq just showed up in his children's classroom.
- NEWS 4 November 15-New research suggests your name can unconsciously undermine your goals.
- NEWS 4 November 16-Police say a guy who had been kicked out of the Good Guys Club in Northwest Washington about two weeks ago came back and doused the manager with some gas then threw a lighter on him
- NEWS 4 November 16-An Annapolis police officer was shot in the chest while serving an arrest warrant this afternoon.

NEWS 4 November 16-The goal of the march on the Justice Department was to demand more justice and more action.

NEWS 4 November 16-There's been an all day conference at Howard University today to address the problems of gun violence, robbery and other crimes committed by young people in the city.

NEWS 4 November 16-Montgomery County Council President Marilyn Praisner was taken to the hospital following two separate accidents in the Burtonsville area today.

NEWS 4 November 16-An International aid effort is underway to help the Country of Bangladesh deal with a massive disaster.

NEWS 4 November 16-Classes no longer meet inside the engineering building on the Virginia Tech campus, the scene of last April's shooting.

NEWS 4 November 16-Next week on Thanksgiving Day a 20-person unit will return from Iraq after a yearlong deployment.

NEWS 4 November 16-President Bush thanked parents at the White House today who've welcomed adopted children into their homes.

NEWS 4 November 19-NBC 4's Food for Families campaign is underway at the Verizon Center.

NEWS 4 November 19-Police in Virginia have released the names of a man shot and killed by a state trooper on I-95.

NEWS 4 November 21-The lights are going back on Broadway, at least for one show, a judge ordered the production of Doctor Seuss, How The Grinch Stole Christmas to reopen despite the ongoing strike by the stagehands union.

NEWS 4 November 21-November is National Adoption Month, to celebrate 34 new families were created at the DC Courthouse on Saturday.

NEWS 4 November 21-A wild turkey showed up in line at a Dunkin Donuts Drive-Thru in Hagerstown this morning.

NEWS 4 November 21-thanksgiving is one of the busiest travel times of the year, but a growing number of people are deciding not to make the trip home to grandma's house to celebrate.

NEWS 4 November 22-A fire tears through an apartment building in Gaithersburg early this morning killing one man.

NEWS 4 November 22-A family in Waldorf is thankful this year they came close to losing their lives in a fire.

NEW 4 November 22-A Gainesville couple and their family have a lot to be thankful for after the husband's safe return from a year in Iraq.

NEWS 4 November 23-Local religious leaders are planning special prayer services for next weeks peace talks in Annapolis.

NEWS 4 November 23-In Clark County, Virginia charges are likely against the owner of a farm where 8 horses were seized, one of them had just died.

NEWS 4 November 23-An update on a wild turkey that was spotted in line at a Dunkin Donuts Drive-Thru in Hagerstown.

NEWS 4 November 26-The first signs of trouble came from a 911 call from Sean tailors house south of Miami early this morning.

NEWS 4 November 26-Sean Taylor's main home was in Miami but he also had a second home near Redskins Park in Virginia.

NEWS 4 November 26-Redskins owner Dan Snyder and a group including Clinton Portis headed to the hospital this afternoon.

NEWS 4 November 26-fire investigators in Prince William County are investigating two suspicious fires that happened just blocks away from each other.

NEWS 4 November 27-Tributes to Sean Taylor are visible at Fed Ex Field, many fans have visited the Redskins current stadium today.

NEWS 4 November 27-For the first time the National Football League Commissioner and some of those who knew Sean Taylor the best including his college coach are speaking out today.

NEWS 4 November 27-A string of loved ones gathered at Sean Taylor's house today.

NEWS 4 November 27-Some former Redskins are speaking out tonight about the loss of Sean Taylor and the impact it will have on the team, fans and the Washington Community.

NEWS 4 November 27-The tragedy of Sean Taylor's death is hitting close to home even for those who only knew Taylor from afar.

NEWS 4 November 27-Fans have been sending their messages of condolences over the death of Sean Taylor to NBC 4 dot com.

NEWS 4 November 27-Student athletes are mourning the loss of Taylor as they take to the practice field.

NEWS 4 November 28-It was a tough day for the Washington Redskins as players and coaches returned to work for the first time since safety Sean Taylor's death.

NEWS 4 November 28-Sean Taylor's tragic death highlights what has been a longtime epidemic in Miami, the District and Communities across the Country.

NEWS 4 November 28-The District recorded its 171st homicide yesterday morning.

NEWS 4 November 28-This week's Wednesday's Child are two sisters who say they want a forever home together.

NEWS 4 November 28-Area young people are putting long hours for a holiday production in northeast Washington that will raise money and awareness for two important charities.

NEWS 4 November 28-A youth football team from Northeast Washington has the chance to prove they are number one in the nation.

NEWS 4 November 28-A 75-year-old holiday tradition is going green at Rockerfeller Plaza as people there prepare for the Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony.

NEWS 4 November 29-Adolescents and teens who must own the latest gadget or designer clothes are often labeled as materialistic.

NEWS 4 November 29-It's expected to be emotional when the Redskins take the field on Sunday, the game will be played in Taylor's honor.

NEWS 4 November 29-There's an effort underway in Charles County to come up with ways to cut down on the number of teens killed in accidents.

NEWS 4 November 29-Shyab says he and his fellow firefighters were battling the fire from a house next door, but they were all caught off guard when the flames spread to their location.

NEWS 4 November 29-The 25-year-old runner who died during last month's Army ten-mile race had severely clogged arteries.

NEWS 4 November 29-A local youth football team is heading to the National Title Game, thanks to support from the Community.

NEWS 4 November 30-At Redskins Park in Ashburn the team gathered for its finial practice before Sunday's game.

NEWS 4 November 30-A 13 year old who was home alone is being identified as the victim of a deadly fire in Oxon Hill, Maryland.

NEWS 4 November 30-A federal judge in Alexandria has tossed out a lawsuit challenging a Prince William County resolution that targets illegal immigrants.

NEWS 4 November 30-Back in our area plans are in place to honor the memory of Sean Taylor at Sunday's game at Fed Ex Field.

NEWS 4 November 30-Tomorrow is World Aids Day and today hundreds of people marking it by demanding change.

NEWS 4 December 3-From Miami where an overflow crowd watched Sean Taylor's funeral in person.

NEWS 4 December 3-Some of the most emotional moments of the funeral came when Taylor's closest family and friends spoke.

NEWS 4 December 3-In the Washington area today many fans took time out of their day to watch the funeral.

NEWS 4 December 3-Mourners today expressed the love they shared fro the Redskins safety whose life was cut short by a gunman's bullet last week.

NEWS 4 December 3-One of the most poignant and emotional moments of the funeral came when the sister of Sean Taylor's fiancé spoke about the special love Taylor and Jackie Garcia shared.

- NEWS 4 December 3-One of the first speakers at Taylor's funeral was the Reverend Jesse Jackson.
- NEWS 4 December 4-A Virginia based Navy ship will move back to its regular deployment after a week of providing aid in Bangladesh.
- NEWS 4 December 4-Most house fires occur between the months of December and February.
- NEWS 4 December 4-A new report from the Brookings Institution ranks the Metro DC area the most walkable per capita.
- NEWS 4 December 4-Just Saturday morning a woman was struck and killed as she walked across Southern Avenue.
- NEWS 4 December 4-Washington today remembers a woman who for the past 40 years helped educate thousands of children with learning disabilities.
- NEWS 4 December 4-Actor Dennis Quaid and his wife have filed a lawsuit against the makers of the blood thinning drug heparin.
- NEWS 4 December 4-Threr were new developments today in the District's multi-million dollar property tax scandal, a senior city official said every city agency is being reviewed for other possible thefts of city money.
- NEWS 4 December 5-Wednesday's Child are two brothers awaiting a permanent adoptive home.
- NEWS 4 December 5-Today the Capitol Christmas Tree was lit, this year's National Christmas Tree comes from Vermont.
- NEWS 4 December 6-The District is launching a new effort to keep pedestrians safe, so far this year 25 pedestrians have been killed in the city.
- NEWS 4 December 6-It's going to be a cold night for one of Washington's favorite holiday traditions, President Bush will flip the switch and light the National Christmas Tree.
- NEWS 4 December 6-In just five days the Redskins will have played two games and laid to rest their teammate and friend Sean Taylor.
- NEWS 4 December 6-Thousands of people are waiting to see the lighting of the National Christmas Tree.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Washington pulled together a big win last night but they suffered a key loss in the process.
- NEWS 4 December 7-President Roosevelt called December 7<sup>th</sup> 1941 a day that will live in infamy.
- NEWS 4 December 7-The police department is holding its fifth All Hands On Deck Campaign.
- NEWS 4 December 11-A blaze killed a grandmother, mother and young child in Derwood.
- NEWS 4 December 11-Fires ignited by holiday decorations are more common this time of year.
- NEWS 4 December 12-The DC area is bracing for some stormy weather this weekend.

- NEWS 4 December 12-Wednesday's Child is a youngster who has made a lot of progress since a year ago.
- NEWS 4 December 12-First dogs Barney and Miss Beazley are giving a different view of Christmas preparations at the White House.
- NEWS 4 December 12-This time of year there are not a lot of kids who are thinking about swimming, but there is a group of kids in Northern Virginia who swim every weekend.
- NEWS 4 December 13-64 percent of Latinos surveyed said they've experienced more discrimination in school or the workplace due to increased attention to illegal immigration in the US.
- NEWS 4 December 13-From youth coaches to fans everyone is reacting to the Mitchell report and what it means for the sport of baseball.
- NEWS 4 December 14-A man in Florida is spreading some holiday cheer at Starbucks by paying it forward.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Dozens of people were forced from their homes because of the fire which broke out this morning in the 11 thousand 200 block of Cherry Hill Road in Beltsville, Maryland.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Thousands of Washington area children will find gifts from Santa when they wake up this Christmas, thanks to an outpouring of generosity from the community.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Former DC Council member Hilda Mason, a longtime leader in the city's battle for statehood has died.
- NEWS 4 December 17-A local man in Frederick, Maryland now claims to be the heir to the throne of a British Territory.
- NEWS 4 December 18-The federal government showed today just how prominent drunk driving deaths are around the holidays.
- NEWS 4 December 18-Holiday messages are flowing in from troops overseas.
- NEWS 4 December 18-The President's visit was the highlight of the day, but it didn't overshadow the important mission the Little Sisters if the Poor have been carrying out.
- NEWS 4 December 18-A newborn baby abandoned in a trash bin is saved by a group of teenage boys, it happened last night in Queens.
- NEWS 4 December 19-The Historic Eisenhower Executive Office Building next to the White House was on fire.
- NEWS 4 December 19-Brittney Spears younger sister 16-year-old Jamie Lynn is confirming reports that she's pregnant.
- NEWS 4 December 19-A tasered student yelled out the top quote of 2007, according to a new list.
- NEWS 4 December 19-This holiday season News 4 is helping soldiers overseas get special messages to their families.
- NEWS 4 December 19-This Wednesday's Child segment is about the children in our community who are looking to find a loving, permanent home.

- NEWS 4 December 19-It'll be another few days before the street where a water main in Takoma Park broke is repaired.
- NEWS 4 December 20-The Virginia Tech Building where a student gunman went on a shooting rampage earlier this year will be turned into a center for peace studies.
- NEWS 4 December 20-The protesters are trying to stop New Orleans from demolishing 45-hundred public housing units.
- NEWS 4 December 20-Washington may have its first hypothermia death of the season.
- NEWS 4 December 20-There's one young girl in Virginia who's gone through a lot in just 10 years.
- NEWS 4 December 20-Petty Officer Junior Perez has been away from home for the last six months on board the USS Raleigh Burke, but he arrived back in Norfolk yesterday just in time for the holidays.
- NEWS 4 December 20-Flames broke out at the Zion Baptist Church in Portsmouth early this morning, that's just outside of Virginia Beach.
- NEWS 4 December 24-a blaze broke out around 10:15 at a house in the 3 thousand block of Oliver Street.
- NEWS 4 December 24-Dozens of children and their parents lined the banks of the Potomac to watch the spectacular show before Santa arrived.
- NEWS 4 December 24-The music world is remembering the life of jazz piano great Oscar Peterson.
- NEWS 4 December 24-Dozens of victims of a fire in Greenbelt celebrated Christmas Day early after losing everything in a blaze at the Spring Hill Lake Apartments.
- NEWS 4 December 24-In Bethlehem preparations are underway for tonight's midnight mass.
- NEWS 4 December 24-Funeral services were held today for a Maryland police officer that was shot and killed in Smithburg last week.
- NEWS 4 December 24-A growing number of fathers across the country are on the hunt for more family time and flexible career paths.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Families of more than 180-thousand US Troops stationed in Iraq and Afghanistan are spending Christmas Day without their loved ones.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Thousands of people were forced from their homes when a hi-rise apartment building caught fire in the District this afternoon.
- NEWS 4 December 25-A community of animal lovers is distraught, they're learning about the deadly shooting of a dog by a police officer.
- NEWS 4 December 25-The man who helped introduce the high-speed Acela Express Train has died.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Investigators say a 6-year-old accidentally started a fire that displaced a family from its apartment home.

- NEWS 4 December 25-The Military served up some 24-thousand meals trying to give the Troops a little taste of home.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Pope Benedict the 16<sup>th</sup> delivered his Christmas Day message to a crowd of thousands at the Vatican.
- NEWS 4 December 25-This Christmas the DC Jewish Community Center is holding its Annual Day of Service.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Each year officers with the Washington Humane Society drop off food and treats to dozens of lonely guard dogs.
- NEWS 4 December 26-The National Zoo has safety protocols in place to protect the public and their animals.
- NEWS 4 December 26-Today is the first day of Kwanzaa.
- NEWS 4 December 26-Theo owner of a dog shot and killed by a DC police officer on Christmas Eve says he's waiting for answers as to why his pet had to die.
- NEWS 4 December 26-Barbara Harrison catches up with those Wednesday's children who have been fortunate enough to have moved on to a permanent loving home.
- NEWS 4 December 27-A new voluntary notification system will hit the road in St. Mary's County, Maryland next month.
- NEWS 4 December 27-Zoning lawyer and businessman Robert Linowes has died after suffering a stroke.
- NEWS 4 December 27-Prince William County police are investigating an early morning fire that killed a man.
- NEWS 4 December 27-A family heater is to blame for sending four children to the hospital with carbon monoxide exposure.
- NEWS 4 December 27-The North Potomac teen charged with murdering his father remains behind bars tonight.
- NEWS 4 December 27-The answers to why a tiger at the San Francisco Zoo attacked three people may lie with the survivors.
- NEWS 4 December 28-A man was hurt in a fatal fire in the 24 hundred block of Poplins Lane in Fairfax County.
- NEWS 4 December 28-An outpouring of sympathy continues at the Pakistani Embassy in Northwest Washington.
- NEWS 4 December 28-San Francisco police are still putting together what led a Siberian tiger to go on a rampage wounding two people and leaving one dead.
- NEWS 4 December 28-A Bengal tiger has been found shot to death in Texas.

NEWS 4 December 28-A Maryland girl received her Christmas present a few days late, her father arrived home from Iraq.

NEWS 4 December 29-Hundreds of dogs will soon be put up for adoption across the Metro area after being rescued from an alleged puppy mill in Virginia.

### Education

NEWS 4 October 1-Demolition crews knocked down a Library in Northwest today.

NEWS 4 October 2-The County has a new monument honoring Africans and Americans of African descent who helped shape the foundation of the United States.

NEWS 4 October 5-Some High Schools in Howard County are trying to fight underage drinking.

NEWS 4 October 5-First the band director and some band members from Ballou High School in SE DC appeared on the Ellen DeGeneres Show this week, now President Bush has taken and interest also.

NEWS 4 October 8-Sirens wailed on the Virginia Tech Campus today, it was the first test of the new campus warning siren system.

NEWS 4 October 8-Technology now gives parents a way to find out what their children's homework assignments are.

NEWS 4 October 11-It's a very special day for members of the Ballou high School Marching Band.

NEWS 4 October 17-A historic Maryland Lighthouse is up for sale in an online auction.

NEWS 4 October 26-It was an exciting morning for two of Shuttle Discovery astronauts as they went on their first spacewalk.

NEWS 4 October 29-The last time the redskins were beaten so badly a gallon of regular unleaded cost just 31 cents.

NEWS 4 November 1-Another swastika has popped up on the George Washington University campus.

NEWS 4 November 12-A new study shows a strong link between students who study music and their success later in life.

NEWS 4 November 13-Second graders across Montgomery County are experiencing the thrill of the orchestra this week.

NEWS 4 November 15-National Geographic unveiled an unusual new dinosaur that's nearly 110-million years old.

NEWS 4 November 15-In Loudon a British student studying for his doctorate in paleontology may have discovered yet another dinosaur species.

NEWS 4 November 29-In Prince William County, starting Monday public school visitors will have to check their ID's at the door to gain entrance.

NEWS 4 November 29-Dozens of elementary school students are competing in a geography tournament in the District.

NEWS 4 November 29-Authorities in Baltimore have discovered some Civil War era artifacts at the bottom of the Patapsco River.

NEWS 4 December 3-School officials are planning to change High School boundaries to ease over crowding.

NEWS 4 December 6-The Space Shuttle Atlantis was scheduled to blast off from Cape Canaveral today, but engineers discovered a problem with two fuel gauges on the external tank.

NEWS 4 December 12-There was a coming out party at the Library of Congress today for a 500-year-old map that's been dubbed America's birth certificate.

NEWS 4 December 14-Another group that is paying more these days is college students who study abroad, they're finding the US dollar is not taking them very far.

NEWS 4 December 14-A survey taken at St. Lawrence University found that students who've never stayed up all night to study have slightly higher grade point averages than those who have.

NEWS 4 December 18-Staff at three DC Schools had a big reason to celebrate this morning; they got thousands of dollars in cash for helping students improve their test scores.

NEWS 4 December 19-The Eisenhower executive Office Building is steeped in history, the old Executive Office Building was built between 1871 and 1888.

NEWS 4 December 26-after months of silence the former superintendent of DC Schools talks about his tenure, his dismissal and reforms currently underway.

NEWS 4 December 31-A French artist is carving sculptures using some unusual materials.

NEWS 4 November 30-The best high school in the country is in northern Virginia, that's according to US News and World Report, Thomas Jefferson High School ranked top of the list.

#### Consumer

NEWS 4 October 1-Dominion Virginia Power is shedding some light on a new program that can help you save money.

NEWS 4 October 2-In consumer news Wal-Mart decides to start a holiday price war early; Airline baggage and would you like music with your mocha?

NEWS 4 October 4-The Grill Daddy says it's a revolutionary new grill-cleaning tool that keeps your food tasting backyard barbeque great.

NEWS 4 October 5-Liz Crenshaw answers consumer questions.

NEWS 4 October 5-Verizon is getting ready to release a new cell phone that they hope will compete with Apple's popular I-Phone.

NEWS 4 October 8-In consumer news, What it is and how it works.

- NEWS 4 October 11-If you like to only eat food grown in the USA you may have to grow it yourself.
- NEWS 4 October 17-A new website that promises to help you make sense of all those recent product recalls.
- NEWS 4 October 17-A settlement with New York's Attorney General should make facebook safer for your child.
- NEWS 4 October 17-The Country's biggest consumer electronics retailer will no longer sell analog TV's.
- NEWS 4 October 18-Angry viewers are telling Liz Crenshaw What's No Fair in their consumer lives.
- NEWS 4 October 18-Many people may not realize there are often additions in their wine.
- NEWS 4 October 19-The Dow closed down nearly 370 points.
- NEWS 4 October 19-A local man is slapping Ford Motor Company with a lawsuit.
- NEWS 4 October 19-Liz Crenshaw answers consumer questions.
- NEWS 4 October 22-Liz Crenshaw talks about Credit Card Credit.
- NEWS 4 October 23-In consumer news foreclosure rates are at an all time high and holiday shopping season is just getting started.
- NEWS 4 October 25-With ghosts and goblins headed to your door soon, it's time to think about how to keep the spooky Holiday safe.
- NEWS 4 October 26-Halloween is just around the corner and while it may not be the biggest commercial Holiday Christmas is number one and Halloween is second.
- NEWS 4 October 26-Liz Crenshaw answers consumer questions.
- NEWS 4 October 26-The Senate has voted to extend a ban on state taxes on Internet service.
- NEWS 4 October 26-Consumers are spending more money, their cell phones as companies make more powerful devices.
- NEWS 4 October 29-In consumer news, does the hip-hop abs really do that?
- NEWS 4 October 30-Consumers International is out with its list of bad products for the year.
- NEWS 4 October 30-The Department of Energy warns vampire electronics could account for 20 percent of electricity in just three years.
- NEWS 4 October 30-Going Green goes global by showing an organization called voices for global change is finding solutions for women in crisis in the palm of their hands.
- NEWS 4 November 1-In consumer news some online advertisers track what sites you visit and use that info to send customized ads to you.
- NEWS 4 November 2-There are some little known websites that offer some big bargains on clothing.

- NEWS 4 November 2-Liz Crenshaw answers consumer questions.
- NEWS 4 November 2-From Wall Street to Main Street the rash of housing foreclosures is taking its toll and one local jurisdiction is really feeling the pinch from the loss property tax revenue.
- NEWS 4 November 5-Internet giant Google is jumping into the cell phone business.
- NEWS 4 November 5-Prices at the pump continue to climb and could reach 4 dollars by next summer.
- NEWS 4 November 5-Does the H-2-O mop really Do That?
- NEWS 4 November 6-The Consumer Product Safety Commission is recalling about 155 thousand Fisher Price Laugh and Learn Kitchen toys.
- NEWS 4 November 6-There's a website to stop unwanted catalogs clogging up your mailbox, log onto catalog choice dot org.
- NEWS 4 November 6-Many airlines are making it more common for your unused miles to expire after as little as 1 year of inactivity.
- NEWS 4 November 7-The cost of oil is having a big impact on consumers.
- NEWS 4 November 7-The cost of oil is having a big impact on consumers.
- NEWS 4 November 7-Goggle is teaming up with 35 hundred gas stations across the country to offer maps and directions to drivers.
- NEWS 4 November-Many parents are still reeling after the latest toy recall by the Consumer Product Safety Commission.
- NEWS 4 November 12-The schedule is out and Liz Crenshaw reports on the mailing dates to make your holiday deadlines.
- NEWS 4 November 13-Think the limousine you hired is licensed, there's a good chance it's not.
- NEWS 4 November 13-Airlines are predicting a record number of Thanksgiving travelers for the holiday, which could mean lots of problems for flyers.
- NEWS 4 November 13-The US Department of Agriculture says the cost of your turkey dinner will be higher this year.
- NEWS 4 November 15-A new task force is being formed in Virginia to help protect and preserve home ownership for families across the state.
- NEWS 4 November 15-For those hitting the roads this Thanks giving Holiday prepare yourself for more pain at the pump.
- NEWS 4 November 15-The latest round of crash tests indicate that drivers have more choices than ever when it comes to safety.

NEWS 4 November 15-Liz Crenshaw is looking for all that and more in her latest taste test on packaged and frozen mashed potatoes.

NEWS 4 November 15-Some DC residents are organizing an online campaign to complain about the City's new taxicab meter fees.

NEWS 4 November 16-There are some little known websites that can save you some money on home furnishings.

NEWS 4 November 16-Firefighters have a warning for people planning to deep-fry their turkey this Thanksgiving.

NEWS 4 November 16-The Wall Street Journal reports Google is ready to take a step that will allow it to roll out its own mobile network.

NEWS 4 November 16-Liz Crenshaw answers consumer questions.

NEWS 4 November 19-Money Monday's report looks at how to monitor your 401K and other investments.

NEWS 4 November 19-A chef shows Liz Crenshaw some Tricks of the Trade that will make your Thanksgiving leftovers luscious.

NEWS 4 November 21-High gas prices, the credit crunch and the economy has everyone feeling the pinch.

NEWS 4 November 21-retailers are bracing for what could be a disappointing Holiday season.

NEWS 4 November 21-For 27 years the woman behind the Butterball hotline has spent hours on the phone dishing out advice on how to prepare the best turkey dinner.

NEWS 4 November 22-Some users of the social networking sites Face book are complaining about a new policy that tracks online purchases.

NEWS 4 November 22-many folks are gearing up for Black Friday one of the busiest shopping days of the year.

NEWS 4 November 22-If you're on a tight budget this holiday season or just want to make sure you can afford everything on your holiday wish list begin planning your budget now.

NEWS 4 November 22-Liz Crenshaw reveals that hidden hotel fees are changing the way the lodging game is played these days.

NEWS 4 November 23-The same company that brought Silicon Valley is introducing a new line of computer chips.

NEWS 4 November 23-The online shopping season officially gets underway next week on what's become as Cyber Monday.

NEWS 4 November 23-There are some little known websites that sell wine and have it delivered right to your door.

NEWS 4 November 23-higher gas prices are pushing the prices of Christmas trees up this holiday season.

- NEWS 4 November 23-Dry Christmas trees are more likely to catch fire than hydrated ones.
- NEWS 4 November 23-Liz Crenshaw answers consumer questions.
- NEWS 4 November 26-Liz Crenshaw collects a bunch of secret tricks that will serve as either dessert or beautiful gifts for your family and friends.
- NEWS 4 November 26-It's the end of the year and time for your checkup of your financial health.
- NEWS 4 November 27-A holiday vendor is offering fast food in an eco-friendly package.
- NEWS 4 November 27-The government is taking a harder look at Green marketing claims.
- NEWS 4 November 27-The Independent Insurance agents and Brokers of America reports that seven out of eight households do not understand if their homeowners insurance protects high-tech devices such as I-pods, I-phones and plasma TV's.
- NEWS 4 November 27-consolidated Credit Counseling Services has some tips to help you avoid holiday debt.
- NEWS 4 November 28-Verizon Wireless customers will soon have a lot more choices by the end of next year.
- NEWS 4 November 29-Some people are turning to lead test kits for answers.
- NEWS 4 November 30-A new and improved I-phone could let you surf the Internet on the go even faster.
- NEWS 4 November 30-Organic foods often cost more than conventional produce, but that doesn't mean you've got to have a larger bank account to add organic foods to your grocery list.
- NEWS 4 December 3-Every year toy makers are asked to send their new and special toys for the holiday.
- NEWS 4 December 6-Liz Crenshaw is taking a look at what you get for your money.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Some news from the Digital Edge, if you wanted to stay connected when you fly Jet Blue is going to accommodate you.
- NEWS 4 December 7-It's one of the hottest new gizmos of the holiday season, especially for people who love to read.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Since Thanksgiving retailers have seen a slump in sales and they're making a big push to get shoppers to buy more.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Liz Crenshaw answers consumer questions.
- NEWS 4 December 7-If you're in the market for a new ride the new the new smart for two car may be the one.
- NEWS 4 December 11-In consumer news the US and China agree to improve the safety of imported foods and drugs.

- NEWS 4 December 12-The area's power companies are trying to make sure there aren't widespread outages because of this weather.
- NEWS 4 December 13-News Four Consumer reporter reports What's Hot for the Holiday's.
- NEWS 4 December 13-Electronics are typically on the top of some folks gifts lists.
- NEWS 4 December 13-Veterinarians say because pet toys go directly into the mouths of animals, owners should pay careful attention to where the toys are made.
- NEWS 4 December 14-Consumer inflation hit a 34-year high in November.
- NEWS 4 December 14-Liz Crenshaw answers consumer questions.
- NEWS 4 December 14-The popular game system Wii has been out for more than a year and they're still flying off the shelves.
- NEWS 4 December 14-A computer giant is trying to boost sales with a new touch screen laptop.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Many stores say they're now banking on last minute shoppers to boost sales.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Finding a gift for that special someone can be one of the most stressful parts of the holidays.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Doctors are hailing it as a breakthrough for women who have undergone lumpectionies.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Scientists say they've discovered a fat burning enzyme inside your body that's triggered when you walk around.
- NEWS 4 December 18-The Federal Reserve hopes a new proposal on home mortgage loans can protect the most vulnerable borrowers.
- NEWS 4 December 19-Megan McGrath explains how you can shop and help some charitable causes at the same time.
- NEWS 4 December 19-In the middle of the credit crisis one prominent company is changing the way it calculates credit scores.
- NEWS 4 December 19-New research shows just how desperate the situation is for many Americans to pay for heat this winter.
- NEWS 4 December 20-The latest crash test for minivans show that none of the 2008 models did particularly well.
- NEWS 4 December 20-Consumer electronics are the most popular gifts this season.
- NEWS 4 December 20-Experts say a good size for a television in your bedroom is anywhere between 15 and 26 inches.
- NEWS 4 December 24-Environmental issues are playing a bigger role in the way people are shopping this year.

NEWS 4 December 24-For some credit card owner's debt could be lingering come January.

NEWS 4 December 25-A water main break in Southeast left many without water when they woke up this morning.

NEWS 4 December 26-Shoppers are hoping for a bargain and retailers are hoping for a boost as people head to stores to return Christmas presents and cash in on gift cards.

NEWS 4 December 26-Many parents had concerns about toy safety this Christmas.

NEWS 4 December 26-For consumers in general and parents in particular 2007 will be recalled as the year of the recall.

NEWS 4 December 26-The housing slump is far from over, according to new data released on home prices across the country.

NEWS 4 December 27-Many games are free to download, the longer you play the more you can pay.

NEWS 4 December 28-News from Digital Edge, a new survey shows Americans are more connected than ever before to their cell phones and their computers.

NEWS 4 December 28-Two people in Massachusetts have died after drinking milk contaminated with listeria.

NEWS 4 December 28-Starting next week it will cost you more to rent or buy a car or register your vehicle in Northern Virginia.

NEWS 4 December 29-A tiny radio invisible to the eye and smaller than a human hair is making waves with researchers.

NEWS 4 December 29-Does the Zorbeez Really Do That?

NEWS 4 December 31-Apple is working on a new system that will allow its iPhone customers to skip waiting in line to order from Starbucks and other restaurants.

NEWS 4 December 31-The almost 90-year-old Hotel Washington in downtown is closing after its last New Year's Eve parties tonight.

#### Environment

NEWS 4 October 1-Starting next week residents in Stafford County will be asked to conserve even more water.

NEWS 4 October 2-There's a movement underway to change the way you see the world.

NEWS 4 October 2-Better think twice before turning on a sprinkler in Loudoun County.

NEWS 4 October 3-A luxury hotel in the District is going green and breaking new ground doing so.

NEWS 4 October 4-Neither Fairfax or Prince William Counties have issued mandatory water restrictions but the lack of rain is having an impact.

NEWS 4 October 5-The City of Fairfax is the largest jurisdiction to be hit with water woes.

NEWS 4 October 5-If you're curious about the green movement or want to become eco-friendly this weekend the green festival opens at the DC Convention Center tomorrow morning.

NEWS 4 October 8-It didn't feel like October, which left at least some feeling the effects of the heat.

NEWS 4 October 8-The drought in our area has been blamed for drying up some Virginia's reservoirs.

NEWS 4 October 9-It was a sea of green at the DC Convention Center this weekend as the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Green Festival came to town.

NEWS 4 October 17-Ever wondered what it would be like to live in a totally solar powered home, you can find out at the National Mall.

NEWS 4 October 18-A national gas leak is bringing CSX and MARC trains to a halt.

NEWS 4 October 18-The Governor made the announcement today in response to the ongoing drought conditions.

NEWS 4 October 18-Some residents in our area are expressing their concerns about a new high-voltage power line.

NEWS 4 October 19-The drought appears to be getting worse in our area.

NEWS 4 October 19-Environmental activists in California are hoping a lot of people will spend Saturday night in the dark.

NEWS 4 October 22-The strong desert winds and the dry air is making it difficult for firefighters to control the blazes.

NEWS 4 October 22-The wildfires forced Pepperdine University in Malibu to cancel classes today as hundreds of firefighters work to protect the school and its 3 thousand students.

NEWS 4 October 23-The dry weather and strong Santa Ana winds are only adding to the misery and the danger.

NEWS 4 October 23-The Pentagon is offering its assistance to help residents and firefighters in California.

NEWS 4 October 23-A new store in Adams Morgan is filled with gifts and clothing and art works that do something for the planet or its people.

NEWS 4 October 24-Those wet roads caused plenty of problems for drivers who seemed to forget what it's like to drive in the rain.

NEWS 4 October 25-The rain made this morning commute tough for everyone.

- NEWS 4 October 25-Evacuation shelters are starting to clear out today as some residents in Southern California are returning to their homes for the first time.
- NEWS 4 October 25-Our extended hot and very dry summer has been replaced with very October-like weather.
- NEWS 4 October 26-We're having rain now but in a few months it could be snow and workers in Prince George's County are getting ready.
- NEWS 4 October 26-From severe drought to flood watch, it seems the area just can't get a break lately when it comes to weather.
- NEWS 4 October 26-Several massive wildfires are still burning out of control.
- NEWS 4 October 31-Astronaunts from the Shuttle Discovery could extend their mission to fix two problems at the International Space Station.
- NEWS 4 November 2-The Maryland House of Delegates is considering a proposed Green Fund that would raise money for the Chesapeake Bay restoration.
- NEWS 4 November 5-A new art exhibit in Washington combines beautiful work with a disturbing subject matter.
- NEWS 4 November 6-The crew of the Space Shuttle Discovery is making final preparations for its return home.
- NEWS 4 November 13-The Polar Bear is in trouble, it's hunting grounds are shrinking as the ice melts in the North because of global warming.
- NEWS 4 November 15-They say if you don't like the weather around Washington just wait a few days.
- NEWS 4 November 16-The wind is creating problems for some homeowners and tourists.
- NEWS 4 November 28-County Executive Ike Leggett announced a new TV recycling program.
- NEWS 4 November 28-Montgomery County leaders are encouraging residents to use energy efficient lighting during the holidays.
- NEWS 4 December 4-Preparations for snow across our area are progressing.
- NEWS 4 December 4-Hemp is one of the most versatile economical and eco-friendly crops on the planet.
- NEWS 4 December 6-More trouble on the roads and sidewalks as people dig out from the season's first snow.
- NEWS 4 December 7-A winter weather advisory has been issued for the Washington area.
- NEWS 4 December 11-As you do your holiday shopping it's a great time to be going green.
- NEWS 4 December 12-A look at the damage as more nasty weather comes to States struggling to recover from this weeks icy blast.

- NEWS 4 December 17-The winds overnight caused big problems, a tree smashed onto a truck in Gaithersburg, Maryland.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Loudoun Valley High School closed at one-thirty today because there was no heat.
- NEWS 4 December 18-pangea on 21<sup>st</sup> and Pennsylvania Avenue downtown is just one of the many green stores in our area providing an array of interesting gifts including fair trade coffees and chocolates.
- NEWS 4 December 20-They're cleaning up a mess in the Washington Channel today, crews are out trying to contain a spill of hundreds of gallons of diesel fuel.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Thousands of California residents are in the dark after strong winds topped power lines.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Wendy Rieger offers a few ideas that will help keep you green year round.
- NEWS 4 December 26-There's a frantic effort tonight to search for survivors of mudslides in Indonesia.
- NEWS 4 December 26-Fairfax County hopes it has found a way to stop recent problems with geese.
- NEWS 4 December 29- This week green goes universal.

## Transportation

- NEWS 4 October 1-A Metro bus driver was briefly trapped after an accident with a van that ended with both vehicles badly mangled.
- NEWS 4 October 1-Construction began today on a new ceiling at the Friendship Heights bus station.
- NEWS 4 October 1-The proposed high occupancy and toll or hot lanes around the Capita; Beltway will go high-tech to make sure cheaters aren't getting a faster commute.
- NEWS 4 October 1-Opening arguments took place today in a Federal lawsuit challenging the proposed InterCounty Connector in Maryland.
- NEWS 4 October 2-a proposal to build a high-speed train between Washington and Baltimore is now being reviewed by federal officials after years of environmental studies.
- NEWS 4 October 8-Maryland drivers will notice a big difference at one of the area's worst bottlenecks.
- NEWS 4 October 10-Two lanes just reopened on I-95 south after a fiery crash in Woodbridge.
- NEWS 4 October 10-Metro fares are almost certainly going up but how much remains in question.
- NEWS 4 October 10-A runaway train incident kept quiet until now cost two Amtrak workers their jobs.
- NEWS 4 October 11-Transportation Officials are planning to close a portion of Montrose Road next month, the federal government is looking for ways to ease congestion on the decades old bridge.
- NEWS 4 October 17-A National Transportation Safety Board report says a Metro train derailment in January could have been prevented.

NEWS 4 October 18-A warning to Metro riders, authorities are cracking down on passengers who eat and drink on the trains.

NEWS 4 October 22-The all clear has been given to passengers and staff evacuated from Dulles Airport after a suspicious package was found.

NEWS 4 October 22-The results of a new study about pilots is being kept secret by NASA.

NEWS 4 October 24-In past weeks V-DOT safety patrols jobs have proven to be extremely dangerous.

NEWS 4 October 24-Police are on the scene of a deadly accident.

NEWS 4 October 25-A school bus accident happened just before 7 this morning on route 17 southbound near Old Tayern Road in the Plains.

NEWS 4 October 25-The driver of a Metro bus has died after being hit by a tractor-trailer this morning in Arlington.

NEWS 4 October 25-49 year old Lorenda Gordon was driving yesterday just blocks from High Bridge Elementary School in Bowie when her car slid into the front end of a school bus.

NEWS 4 October 26-The Potomac River Express Commuter Ferry took its first test run yesterday traveling form Quantico Marina up the Potomac River to Navy Yard.

NEWS 4 October 29-The fate of Maryland's InterCounty Connector is now in the hands of a Federal Judge.

NEWS 4 October 31-NASA did an about face in front of Congress today promising it will reveal results of a large scale federal aviation survey.

NEWS 4 October 31-Metro will give riders six chances to voice their concerns on support for a proposed fare increase.

NEWS 4 November 1-Mayor Adrian Fenty is releasing the new rates for taxis in the District.

NEWS 4 November 2-according to a new NASA report two pilots fell asleep during a red-eye flight back in March of 2004.

NEWS 4 November 5-Fewer drivers in the District are being caught by speed and red light cameras.

NEWS 4 November 6-A woman is recovering after crashing her car into her garage.

NEWS 4 November 8-Construction on Maryland's InterCounty Connector will soon move forward.

NEWS 4 November 8-The Department of Motor Vehicles is planning to phase out the in person parking ticket adjudication by December of next year.

NEWS 4 November 8-The Metro Board is selling part of the takoma Metro Station to a developer.

NEWS 4 November 8-District residents had a chance to weigh in on a controversial plan to switch from zones to meters in all taxicabs.

- NEWS 4 November 12-The accident happened just after 2am in Silver Spring on Bonifant Road, a 17 year old was killed.
- NEWS 4 November 12-The cleanup has begun at the site of Friday's train derailment in the District.
- NEWS 4 November 12-Steep fuel costs and fewer available seats means higher prices and fewer bargains during this heavy holiday travel season.
- NEWS 4 November 14-Work crews began work to remove the first of six train cars that fell off a bridge into the Anacostia River.
- NEWS 4 November 14-A car sped backwards over a side walk and smashed into an office building on Capitol Hill.
- NEWS 4 November 15-President Bush announced some new measures today that could provide relief for travelers flying this holiday.
- NEWS 4 November 16-Today kicks off the busiest travel season of the year.
- NEWS 4 November 19-If your travel plans include a plane, security officials want you to start thinking about how you start thinking about how you pack.
- NEWS 4 November 21-A woman is dead in what officials are calling a freak accident involving a tractor-trailer in Silver Spring.
- NEWS 4 November 21-Two teenage girls are fighting for their lives after another violent car crash involving teens.
- NEWS 4 November 21-People traveling by train can expect crowed terminals.
- NEWS 4 November 21-On the roads gas prices are at the highest they've ever been for a thanksgiving Holiday.
- NEWS 4 November 21-A DC water and sewage authority truck got struck underneath a bridge in northwest this afternoon.
- NEWS 4 November 21-Beginning this Friday VDOT is changing the way traffic will move around major malls and shopping centers.
- NEWS 4 November 22-A brother and sister were out enjoying the holiday when their off roading turned deadly.
- NEWS 4 November 22-Smoke billowing from under the American Legion Bridge this morning was caused by a brush fire.
- NEWS 4 November 23-Police are investigating a deadly crash in Prince George's County, an SUV and a landscaping van collided near the intersection of Old Branch Avenue and Barnwood Drive this morning.
- NEWS 4 November 23-A dramatic rescue at sea after a Canadian cruise ship hits some ice off Antarctica.
- NEWS 4 November 28-Another teenager from our area has died in a car crash on a narrow road in Waldorf, Maryland.

- NEWS 4 November 28-Four people were injured including three children when a van crashed into another car in Montgomery County today.
- NEWS 4 November 29-Officials in Frederick are thinking about installing speed cameras.
- NEWS 4 November 29-A dramatic landing this morning for the pilot of a small plane with landing gear problems.
- NEWS 4 November 30-Most of the nearly 200 passengers on board that Amtrak train walked away with only minor injuries.
- NEWS 4 December 3-Some scary moments for passengers aboard a Metro bus in Prince George's County today, the bus collided with a SUV on Riverdale Road and Auburn Avenue in Riverdale around eight this morning.
- NEWS 4 December 4-A teenager critically hurt in a car accident in Fairfax County has died of her injuries.
- NEWS December 5-The snow started early in Virginia today but not enough to cancel school but more than enough to make driving tricky.
- NEWS 4 December 5-Transportation crews say they were ready and drivers saw the results.
- NEWS 4 December 5-In Maryland today drivers faced some difficult delays this morning.
- NEWS 4 December 5-CSX Transportation says it's working on a plan to let Maryland cities know when dangerous cargo will slippery conditions.
- NEWS 4 December 6-In the District the main roads got cleared first but it was still a slippery ride on many of the side streets.
- NEWS 4 December 6-Kids in Prince William County Virginia enjoyed their first snow day of the school year.
- NEWS 4 December 6-Some schools in Maryland closed today because of the snow.
- NEWS 4 December 7-The mix of sleet and freezing rain caused several accidents on I-95 in Virginia today.
- NEWS 4 December 11-On 495 near the Gallows Road exit in Annandale one witness say the two cars were going 100 miles per hour when one of them crashed.
- NEWS 4 December 11-Today the Transit System said it's ready for the winter weather.
- NEWS 4 December 12-Higher prices and fewer flights are becoming more common these days, but it could soon be the norm at one of the Nation's busiest airports.
- NEWS 4 December 12-Delta Airlines has released a series of animated videos aimed at raising awareness of how to properly behave on a flight.
- NEWS 4 December 12-Metro has reversed an unpopular decision to cut the number of rail cars operating during off peak hours and weekends.

NEWS 4 December 12-Traffic congestion is a growing concern in Montgomery County, Maryland.

NEWS 4 December 13-According to a report by the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission 12 of Virginia's 20 stations saw a drop in riders last year.

NEWS 4 December 14-Metro says it has deicing trains ready and the agency is advising passengers to build extra time into travel plans.

NEWS 4 December 14-Dozens of accidents have been reported across the state and many flights have been canceled.

NEWS 4 December 14-rivers who travel into the District from Northern Virginia can expect a smoother ride if they use Canal Road.

NEWS 4 December 14-The Maryland Transportation Authority wants you to check your E-Z Pass statements, they say some drivers may have been double charged for trips in October.

NEWS 4 December 18-A broken water main is causing a rush-hour mess tonight in the north bound lanes of New Hampshire Avenue in Takoma Park.

NEWS 4 December 19-The holiday travel weekend is officially underway and a record number of people are expected to travel.

NEWS 4 December 19-President Bush signed the bill, which requires carmakers to increase fuel efficiency 40 percent by 2020.

NEWS 4 December 24-A DC police officer involved in a serious car crash is home in time for Christmas.

NEWS 4 December 26-A 35 million dollar street scaping project has begun in northeast.

NEWS 4 December 27-State police say they expect the year will end with more than one thousand traffic deaths.

NEWS 4 December 28-A father and son from Virginia are two of the victims in a deadly crash in Frederick, Maryland.

NEWS 4 December 29-Investigators are back at the scene of a grounded cruise ship in Southern Virginia.

NEWS 4 December 31-The rain last night created an icy mess that made getting around tough this morning.

NEWS 4 December 31-A Maryland woman and four children are dead after a pick up truck struck their minivan on a highway in Ohio.

NEWS 4 December 31-The number of traffic related deaths in Virginia went up in 2007 even after the state instituted abusive driver fees to help save lives.

## Health

NEWS 4 October 1-In news for your health it's a problem most parents don't think about because it's so rare but some kids do suffer heart attacks.

NEWS 4 October 2-In news for your health women who have given birth may have a reduced risk of developing breast cancer.

NEWS 4 October 2-researchers in Chicago are working to develop a safe drug that will prevent women from getting breast cancer.

NEWS 4 October 3-The condition Senator Warner has is known as arterial fibrillation.

NEWS 4 October 3-If you've ever fallen and been severely injured you know that where the accident takes place can have a major impact on the treatment you receive.

NEWS 4 October 3-The Nations 20 largest airlines report on time arrivals at just 71 percent.

NEWS 4 October 4-Microsoft is getting into the medical business.

NEWS 4 October 4-A change in heart about fish consumption when it comes to pregnant women and nursing mothers.

NEWS 4 October 4-Doctors say an MRI can sometimes be more effective than a mammogram in detecting breast cancer.

NEWS 4 October 5-It's October and that means flu season is right around the corner, health professionals are urging parents of young children to get their kids vaccinated.

NEWS 4 October 5-In news for your health there's new concern about a certain kind of milk that may be causing health problems for children.

NEWS 4 October 8-A new study suggests heartache might make you more vulnerable to heart disease.

NEWS 4 October 10-As Congress debates whether to expand health insurance for low-income children, a new report finds kids who can afford a doctor aren't getting the care they need.

NEWS 4 October 10-The first long term study on the world's top-selling cholesterol lowering drugs has vielded some promising results.

NEWS 4 October 10-Classes were canceled at a High School in Virginia today and workers are disinfecting the building after staph infection concerns.

NEWS 4 October 17-A Virginia teenager died this week after being diagnosed with a staph infection.

NEWS 4 October 17-Researchers say more than 175 thousand new cases of breast cancer will be diagnosed this year alone.

NEWS 4 October 17-The pap smear has long been the most popular test for cervical cancer, but could it be on the way out.

NEWS 4 October 17-There is growing concern among other schools in Montgomery County; letters are going home to parents warning about mursa.

NEWS 4 October 18-The Food and Drug Administration is taking an in-depth look at cold and cough medicines aimed specifically at children.

NEWS 4 October 18-While no cases of staph disease have been reported in DC schools, leaders are taking steps to get the word out to parents about the potential risk.

NEWS 4 October 18-Researchers have discovered another risk factor for breast cancer that's even stronger than family history.

NEWS 4 October 19-The recent surge in cases of the skin infection has caught the attention of Virginia lawmakers.

NEWS 4 October 19-Despite the recent attention on mursa it's not a new occurrence.

NEWS 4 October 19-Metro is taking steps to help passengers fight the flu this winter.

NEWS 4 October 19-It's been one year since the fiery debate over whether the federal government should approve the emergency contraceptive pill. Plan B for over the counter sales.

NEWS 4 October 19-Government advisors say cold and cough medicines should not be given to children younger than six.

NEWS 4 October 19-It's harder to find French fries and other fatty foods in school cafeterias these days.

NEWS 4 October 22-The list of confirmed cases of MRSA the drug resistant form of staph infection continues to grow in our region.

NEWS 4 October 22-More and more Americans are dining out, but according to a new study they aren't necessarily making healthily choices.

NEWS 4 October 23-A cancer diagnosis is tough for anyone, but facing that diagnosis alone can be devastating.

NEWS 4 October 25-There's some encouraging news for your health for women diagnosed with breast cancer.

NEWS 4 October 25-Pregnancy and breast-feeding can be confusing issues for a lot of women.

NEWS 4 October 26-Many coaches and parents are concerned about the threat that concussions pose to players.

NEWS 4 October 29-The Country's leading group of pediatricians wants universal autism screening for young children.

NEWS 4 October 29-Dozens of people were sickened after fumes from a cleanup project infiltrated a health clinic in northwest DC this morning.

NEWS 4 October 30-The American Cancer Society recommends that all women over forty have an annual mammogram.

NEWS 4 October 30-More radiation beyond standard treatment may help women prevent a recurrence of breast cancer.

NEWS 4 October 31-A new report is showing that we really are what we eat when it comes to cancer.

- NEWS 4 November 1-In news for your health two sisters suffering from juvenile diabetes are speaking out and trying to find a cure for the disease.
- NEWS 4 November 1-Women are three times as likely as men to get those painful debilitating migraine headaches.
- NEWS 4 November 5-a new study found each additional hour of sleep for a 3<sup>rd</sup> grader reduces the chances of being obese in 6<sup>th</sup> grade by 40 percent.
- NEWS 4 November 6-Wayne State University researchers say blood pressure and heart rate levels increased in adults who drank two cans of some popular energy drinks every day.
- NEWS 4 November 7-Australia's toy of the year is being recalled because it contains a date rape drug.
- NEWS 4 November 7-A new study about the health effects of being overweight has experts puzzled.
- NEWS 4 November 7-A new report found programs that promote abstinence do nothing to prevent or delay teen sex.
- NEWS 4 November 8-An alert for women with diabetes, a new study suggest women are being left behind when it comes to treatment for the illness.
- NEWS 4 November 12-There's a new study out that shows a portion of the brain in a child with attention deficit hyperactivity disorder develops more slowly than other kids.
- NEWS 4 November 13-A new study shows women who have hour glass figures are more intelligent than ladies with less curves.
- NEWS 4 November 13-Some promising developments for patients at risk of getting diabetes.
- NEWS 4 November 13-Prince George's County Schools will go to court to get thousands of kid immunized and back in class.
- NEWS 4 November 14-A new study about the stress of war on soldiers found some troubling results.
- NEWS 4 November 14-The popular diabetes drug Avandia is sporting a new warning label.
- NEWS 4 November 14-Getting common prescriptions filled such as birth control pills and cholesterol lowering medicine may become a lot easier for people.
- NEWS 4 November 15-Health officials say adenoviruses usually cause respiratory infections that aren't considered lethal.
- NEWS 4 November 15-Obesity and diabetes often go hand in hand and doctors say both are starting to get out of hand.
- NEWS 4 November 16-Ovarian cancer when diagnosed too late may not be treatable.
- NEWS 4 November 19-Millions of people suffer from migraines and they can be very debilitating.
- NEWS 4 November 21-New concerns tonight about lead as another recall is announced.

NEWS 4 November 21-Researchers are presenting a conundrum to new mothers, if you want to lose that extra baby weight get more sleep.

NEWS 4 November 21-a bionic brain chip is being tested that would allow your thoughts to move an object outside your body.

NEWS 4 November 22-A new study says babies as young as six months old choose to be with friendly people over mean people.

NEWS 4 November 22-Thousands of people who suffer from serious illness celebrated Thanksgiving today, thanks to the kindness of hundreds of volunteers.

NEWS 4 November 23-Three more cases of pneumonia have been confirmed at schools in Anne Arundel County.

NEWS 4 November 23-Federal health officials are recommending that new labels be placed on a pair of children's flu drugs.

NEWS 4 November 27-A warning tonight about a popular flu medicine that may cause troubling behavior in children.

NEWS 4 November 27-There's a new diagnostic tool that researchers say can more accurately predict an African American woman's risk for breast cancer.

NEWS 4 November 27-Doctors in Chicago say many risks including childhood obesity could fuel a huge increase in young parents with diabetes.

NEWS 4 November 29-researchers at Stanford University may have found the answer to stopping the signs of aging in our skin.

NEWS 4 November 29-News for your health talks about diabetes and a group of local doctors who are helping patients to stay healthier.

NEWS 4 November 30-In news for your health medical researchers recently gathered in San Diego to report some exciting studies that could have a huge impact on the world of medicine.

NEWS 4 December 3-In news for your health parents may want to think twice before buying that next jar of peanut butter for their kids.

NEWS 4 December 4-In news for your health more and more students are getting a kick out of so-called laughter yoga.

NEWS 4 December 4-A potential breakthrough in breast cancer research has come from an unlikely source, two teenage girls from Southern California are being credited with the discovery.

NEWS 4 December 5-New evidence shows kids who are overweight are more likely to develop or even die from heart disease as adults.

NEWS 4 December 6-In news for your health doctors are expressing new concerns about the mental health of children.

- NEWS 4 December 11-Crews will continue to disinfect a Montgomery County Middle School after a teacher who worked there died from a staph infection.
- NEWS 4 December 11-A new study shows the accuracy of mammograms depends in large part on the skill and experience of the radiologist who interprets them.
- NEWS 4 December 11-Nearly 17 percent of adults in the United States will experience major depression in their lifetime.
- NEWS 4 December 12-Women could be more likely to have other symptoms besides chest pain when having a heart attack.
- NEWS 4 December 12-More women are choosing to schedule c-sections before they go into labor.
- NEWS 4 December 13-Today the Food and Drug Administration will decide whether to make a popular cholesterol-lowering drug available over the counter.
- NEWS 4 December 13-In news for your health a lot of us could benefit from less stress around this time of year.
- NEWS 4 December 13-It's the 43<sup>rd</sup> case of staph infection in the school system this year, but after this weeks death of a teacher Health Officials say there is no reason for alarm.
- NEWS 4 December 14-A Food and Drug Administration Advisory Committee recommended today that the agency look into whether some newer cold medications are effective.
- NEWS 4 December 18-Spine fractures are a common problem among middle aged and older women.
- NEWS 4 December 18-December and January are considered the deadliest months for heart attacks.
- NEWS 4 December 19-A new way of providing health care is springing up inside drug stores across the Country.
- NEWS 4 December 20-many people say dark foods have anti-flammatory properties that can protect against heart disease and cancer.
- NEWS 4 December 20-A breakthrough treatment that's helping some people who suffer from depression is called transcranial magnetic stimulation.
- NEWS 4 December 20-Last week drug manufacturer Merck announced a voluntary recall of an important childhood vaccine.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Recovering from a stroke can be an uphill battle but a fast acting drug can prevent serious damage.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Hispanic women are more likely to carry a gene mutation that's associated with breast cancer.
- NEWS 4 December 26-A new law in New Jersey is making HIV testing a routine part of prenatal care.
- NEWS 4 December 26-A new diet book says a woman can boost her fertility naturally by changing her diet.

NEWS 4 December 27-Scientists say they've discovered a gene that allows the body to tolerate hay fever and other allergies.

NEWS 4 December 27-You may have heard the use of specially trained dogs for those who are physically disabled.

NEWS 4 December 28-The DC Health Department is checking whether a graduate student has come down with the highly contagious disease tuberculosis at Georgetown University.

NEWS 4 December 28-Doctors recommend some simple basic things to help colds away with good hygiene and exercise.

NEWS 4 December 28-For the millions of people who have undergone corrective laser eye surgery better known as LASIK, new evidence tonight suggest that the procedure is safe and effective 10 years later.

NEWS 4 December 29-In news for your health a disturbing new report shows kids as young as nine or ten are being pressured to drink.

NEWS 4 December 31-New research out of the University of Chicago suggests that disrupting sleep damages the body's ability to regulate blood sugar.

#### Violence/Crime

NEWS 4 October 1-Dc police say they have some leads tonight in the shooting that took the life of an area teenager.

NEWS 4 October 1-half of the Montgomery County police officers accused of working off-duty security jobs during regular shifts will resign.

NEWS 4 October 1-The victim of that hate crime was a Georgetown student.

NEWS 4 October 2-5 years ago today this area saw the first of the shootings in that deadly sniper spree.

NEWS 4 October 2-The City of Manassas is in the midst of a crime wave.

NEWS 4 October 2-Dc police are investigating the death of a man known as an icon in the City's gay nightlife scene.

NEWS 4 October 2-Gay pornography found on the computer of a Navy doctor can be used against him in court.

NEWS 4 October 2-DC officials and Community members are kicking off a campaign to stop youth violence in the city.

NEWS 4 October 3-A school is locked down and police are called after a gruesome discovery this morning.

NEWS 4 October 3-Last month Rawlings was shot by a police officer who says Rawlings fired upon them first.

NEWS 4 October 3-A judge in Southern Virginia set a trial date for Michael Vick on state dog fighting charges.

NEWS 4 October 3-This is the fifth anniversary that the sniper shot and killed four innocent people.

NEWS 4 October 3-A Prince George's County man is being questioned by police tonight about those fires in Greenbelt.

NEWS 4 October 3-Federal investigators have announced charges in a major fraud and bribery scheme.

NEWS 4 October 4-Earlier today a Minnesota judge rejected Senator Crag's request to withdraw his guilty plea from that bathroom sex sting.

NEWS 4 October 4-Police cars were racing down First and D streets southeast as officers caught a guy driving a suspected stolen car.

NEWS 4 October 4-Police in the District are investigating a possible hate crime at Gallaudet University.

NEWS 4 October 4-Investigators say the Montgomery County police officers were working side jobs during the same hours that they were on duty.

NEWS 4 October 4-A man in Fairfax County is under arrest, accused of attacking a 63-year-old woman.

NEWS 4 October 4-The recording industry has stepped up its efforts to go after people who illegally download music.

NEWS 4 October 5-After years of denying use of steroids Marion Jones is singing a different tune, the Olympic star pleaded guilty to lying to federal investigators about using steroids.

NEWS 4 October 5-Police are releasing a new clue as they try to learn the identity of a young woman who was killed then left near a school playground.

NEWS 4 October 8-A party at a downtown office building ended in a gunfire overnight.

NEWS 4 October 8-Three Children's Groups are expressing there concerns over lifting a handgun ban in the District.

NEWS 4 October 8-The small town of Crandon, Wisconsin continues to grieve tonight after a shooting spree left six dead.

NEWS 4 October 9-Campus police at George Washington University hope surveillance video will identify whoever put up hundreds of hateful fliers.

NEWS 4 October 9-Loudoun County's Sheriff joined top law enforcement officials in the District to discuss a nationwide raid on gangs.

NEWS 4 October 10-Earlier this afternoon at a school in downtown Cleveland there is reportedly a 14-year-old gunman.

NEWS 4 October 10-There's a community on alert tonight after a frightening incident near a school bus stop.

NEWS 4 October 11-A woman is recovering from a head injury tonight after an argument at a Stafford County gas station.

NEWS 4 October 11-Police outside of Philadelphia say they were able to stop the attack, thanks to a tip from a High School student who heard about it.

NEWS 4 October 11-For the past 17 years students at the University of Maryland have participated in rape awareness program.

NEWS 4 October 11-DC police are kicking off a new program that they hope will cut down on crime.

NEWS 4 October 11-A Baltimore football coach was in court today after allegedly threatening a referee with a game in Montgomery County.

NEWS 4 October 11-Police in Northern Virginia are trying to find the people responsible for vandalizing nearly 100 cars.

NEWS 4 October 17-A shooting happened yesterday at an apartment in the 600 block of Atlantic Street Southeast.

NEWS 4 October 17-The Peaceoholics held a march at MLK and Malcolm X Avenues in southeast.

NEWS 4 October 17-Jury selection began today in the criminal trial of Andre Hornsby, the former head of the Prince George's County school system.

NEWS 4 October 17-It's happening in the Hybla Valley area of the County, police have surrounded the bus and are trying to negotiate with the gunman.

NEWS 4 October 17-There's a new twist tonight in the police involved shooting death of a teenager in DC.

NEWS 4 October 17-The former Chief Executive Officer of Prince George's County Schools faces charges of steering contracts in exchange for kickbacks and commission payments.

NEWS 4 October 18-Authorities are now linking that man to the death of a woman who was found in a nearby park.

NEWS 4 October 18-A DC teenager accused of shooting his girlfriend in the face was back in court today.

NEWS 4 October 18-A drug bust in Loudoun County has netted more than just illegal drugs, Sheriff's have seized a line of luxury vehicles that belonged to the suspected drug dealer.

NEWS 4 October 18-Dozens of people in Prince George's County are facing charges after an overnight crackdown on domestic violence.

NEWS 4 October 19-A truck was stolen early this morning from a fuel-loading depot near Interstate 895 in Baltimore, it later turned up in southeast Washington.

NEWS 4 October 19-More information about the elderly woman who was shot and killed in a Fairfax County park two days ago.

NEWS 4 October 19-Fairfax County police have made an arrest in a deadly hit and run from last weekend.

NEWS 4 October 19-A three-year manhunt for a Canadian schoolteacher suspected of sexually abusing Asian boys has ended.

NEWS 4 October 22-A deadly hit and run happened at the corner of Sherman Avenue and Columbia Road in northwest Washington.

NEWS 4 October 22-Police say the 9 year old was approached by a man who told her he was a cop when she was briefly separated from her mother.

NEWS 4 October 22-A search tonight for the owner of two dogs that attacked an elderly woman in Prince George's County.

NEWS 4 October 23-The suspect in a hit and run crash that killed a 2-year-old girl is behind bars today.

NEWS 4 October 23-The woman accused of running down a crowd of people at a street festival this summer could spend the next 25 years behind bars.

NEWS 4 October 23-Damaging evidence today in the corruption trial of a former Prince George's County School CEO.

NEWS 4 October 23-Federal agents seized thousands of vials of illegal steroids needles and cash.

NEWS 4 October 23-The FBI and local police departments are looking for a group of men who've robbed several Hispanic check cashing businesses.

NEWS 4 October 24-News 4 has obtained the FBI's videotape of former Prince George's County Schools CEO Andre Hornsby, Hornsby allegedly accepts a cash payment in exchange for a contract he helped arrange.

NEWS 4 October 24-A court appearance for the suspect in a hit and run crash that killed a toddler.

NEWS 4 October 24-More than five years after two Sheriff's Deputies were shot and killed in Prince George's County finally a guilty plea and a sentence for the suspect.

NEWS 4 October 25-Last Spring Frederick Community College instituted a smoking ban, but some don't like it they've resorted to vandalism to get their point across by stealing toilet paper and trashing the men's bathrooms on Campus.

NEWS 4 October 25-Police in Laurel, Maryland are searching tonight for the man who abducted a young girl from a church and then sexually abused her.

NEWS 4 October 25-A grim discovery at an apartment building in southeast Washington, police are investigating after a mother and her 4 year old child were found dead inside the building in the 36 hundred block of Ely Place SE.

NEWS 4 October 26-Police say the man who took a 4-year-old girl from a church and sexually assaulted her also assaulted other children who were around at the time.

NEWS 4 October 26-DC police have someone they want to talk to about the murder of a mother and her 4-year-old son.

NEWS 4 October 26-A retired Catholic priest could spend the next 40 years behind bars.

NEWS 4 October 29-Police at George Washington are investigating a series of hate crimes involving swastikas painted on campus buildings.

NEWS 4 October 29-Police in Prince George's County are investigating the suspicious death of a 62 year old man in the Laurel area.

NEWS 4 October 30-Police are investigating after someone tried to burn down a church in northwest that feeds hundreds of homeless every morning.

NEWS 4 October 30-Police in Alexandria are investigating a shooting involving a police officer.

NEWS 4 October 30-The victims families of the Virginia Tech shootings have received more than 8 and a half million dollars in donations.

NEWS 4 October 30-Crime concerns today after four murders in five days in the same part of the District.

NEWS 4 October 30-Police in Prince George's County are trying to reduce property crime with a new initiative.

NEWS 4 October 30-A fifth drawing of a swastika was discovered this morning on the dorm room door of a George Washington University Jewish student.

NEWS 4 October 31-Maryland launched their most comprehensive crackdown on sex offenders.

NEWS 4 October 31-New information about what happened in the moments before a teen was shot by a DC police officer.

NEWS 4 October 31-a 71 year old is being identified as the man who was shot and killed by police in Fairfax County this morning.

NEWS 4 November 1-A violent night in the District, 4 people were shot along 14<sup>th</sup> street in northwest.

NEWS 4 November 1-A key witness takes the stand in the corruption trial of former Prince George's County Schools CEO Andre Hornsby.

NEWS 4 November 1-An MS-13 gang member has pleaded guilty in a Hyattsville murder.

NEWS 4 November 2-After a violent week in the District police are launching another weekend crime initiative.

NEWS 4 November 2-Police are investigating another suspicious fire on Capitol Hill.

NEWS 4 November 2-17-year-old Corey Ryder admitted in court to his involvement in the murder for hire case.

NEWS 4 November 2-Fairfax County police are looking for a peeping tom.

NEWS 4 November 2-A woman who once worked at Oprah Winfrey's School for disadvantaged girls in South Africa has been arrested on charges of abuse and sexual assault.

- NEWS 4 November 5-Oprah Winfrey says she's devastated by the abuse scandal at her school for girls in South Africa.
- NEWS 4 November 5-Maryland's court of special appeals ruled sniper John Allen Muhammad does not deserve a new trial.
- NEWS 4 November 5-George Washington University says a Jewish student who complained about swastikas showing up on her door put them there.
- NEWS 4 November 6-Robert Singer, the Chief Operating Officer for the National Children's Museum is charged with distribution of child pornography.
- NEWS 4 November 6-Police in Arlington are investigating at least 5 sexual assaults over the past six days near Metro Stations.
- NEWS 4 November 6-Montgomery County police are asking for the public's help in finding the man who stabbed and killed another man at a bus stop yesterday evening.
- NEWS 4 November 7-Authorities say the 37-year-old suspect was hiding out in an Alexandria Hotel trying to recover from burns he received in the incident.
- NEWS 4 November 7-The DC police department has a new weapon to use in its fight against crime.
- NEWS 4 November 8-Federal agents say they found over one thousand images of child porn on the Deputy Sheriff's home computer.
- NEWS 4 November 8-On Tuesday Robert Singer was arrested and charged with distribution of child pornography.
- NEWS 4 November 8-Two DC government employee's accused of taking part in a multi-million dollar corruption scheme were in court today.
- NEWS 4 November 8-OJ Simpson was back in court today for a preliminary hearing is underway in Las Vegas to determine if there's enough evidence to put Simpson on trial for armed robbery.
- NEWS 4 November 8-The families of two Fairfax police officers killed in a shooting rampage last year have received some closure today. The father of the gunman was sentenced in US District Court in Alexandria for his role in the tragedy.
- NEWS 4 November 8-A DC man convicted of rape will spend the rest of his life behind bars, a jury in Prince George's County found 27 year old Paul David Jackson guilty of assaulting, raping and carjacking a woman at gunpoint.
- NEWS 4 November 8-a Prince George's County man is under arrest facing arson charges after a barricade situation.
- NEWS 4 November 12-Police hope the public can help them answer questions about the death of a man found alongside a road in Montgomery County.
- NEWS 4 November 12-High Point High School has more advanced placement students than most other Prince George's County Schools, at the same time troubling racially charged incidents threaten to tarnish achievements there.

NEWS 4 November 13-A deliveryman was murdered in the 1300 block of Barnaby Place in Southeast Washington on Sunday night.

NEWS 4 November 13-a violent few hours on one District block left three people shot.

NEWS 4 November 13-The search for an escaped prisoner turned a Maryland shipping center into a staging area and prompted schools to pull children off the streets.

NEWS 4 November 13-A fire at a Maryland High School football field has investigators hoping to tackle some suspects.

NEWS 4 November 13-Virginia's crime commission unanimously approved a series of recommendations to crack down on criminal illegal immigrants.

NEWS 4 November 14-A woman was sexually assaulted earlier this week in the 34 hundred block of South Jefferson street in the Bailey's Crossroads area.

NEWS 4 November 14-Computers are seized and warrants served at Bladensburg High School in Prince George's County, investigators there are looking into charges of sexual assault involving an employee.

NEWS 4 November 14-There are now three separate investigations into the tax scam that cost the District tens of millions of dollars.

NEW 4 November 14-Final arguments were given today in the corruption trial of former Prince George's County School CEO Andre Hornsby.

NEWS 4 November 14-Dr. David Fuster was convicted of a crime four years ago, but he took his family and fled the Country, today in Montgomery County circuit Court his conviction caught up with him.

NEWS 4 November 14-Maryland State police have filed 8 new charges against a prisoner who escaped from a laurel Hospital yesterday.

NEWS 4 November 15-An arrest today in what police called a brazen attack, the stabbing and murder of a man at a bus stop in Montgomery County.

NEWS 4 November 15-The DC City Council is searching for answers as members try to learn more about the largest financial scandal in the City's history.

NEWS 4 November 15-The investigation continues into allegations by three female students that an Assistant Principal at a Maryland High School sexually assaulted them.

NEWS 4 November 15-Fairfax County police are asking for help to find a man who robbed a bank in McLean.

NEWS 4 November 15-Robert Singer is accused of sending child pornographic images over the Internet to a New York City police detective posing as a mother and her daughter.

NEWS 4 November 19-A Civil rights group speaks out after a young man dies when police used a stun gun on him.

- NEWS 4 November 19-Michael Vick turned himself in three weeks before sentencing on a federal dog fighting conspiracy charge.
- NEWS 4 November 19-A grim milestone in the District, the weekend shooting of a young man during a carjacking brings the number of people killed in the city to 169.
- NEWS 4 November 19-A newly formed cold case squad in Charles County, Maryland is looking for fresh leads in the Thanksgiving Day murder of Chris Mader.
- NEWS 4 November 21-There's been an arrest in the Natalee Holloway case.
- NEWS 4 November 21-Fairfax County police have charged a couple of guys they believe are responsible for a string of hotel robberies in Virginia.
- NEWS 4 November 22-a Virginia State Trooper who shot and killed a driver during a traffic stop in Stafford County over the weekend will not face charges.
- NEWS 4 November 22-Two 13-year-old boys are recovering after being injured in a double shooting last night.
- NEWS 4 November 23-Two adults and three children were found dead in what police are calling an apparent murder suicide in the 3700 block of Damascus Road.
- NEWS 4 November 23-A couple is charged with leaving their child in a freezing car while they went shopping, the child's mother 20 year old Laura Havens was arrested along with her boyfriend 22 year old Casey Shields.
- NEWS 4 November 23-Dc police say they need help to find the shooter who wounded two teenagers.
- NEWS 4 November 26-The Redskins rally around star safety Sean Taylor after he's rushed to a hospital following a shooting at his Florida home.
- NEWS 4 November 26-Grief counselors spent the day at two schools in Howard County as students learned about the deaths of three siblings.
- NEWS 4 November 26-Two men are under arrest after abduction in Fairfax County.
- NEWS 4 November 26-A surprising development in the case of a former Prince George's County School Board member accused of having sex with a student.
- NEWS 4 November 27-Michael Vick will go to trial in April on state dog fighting charges.
- NEWS 4 November 27-A convenience store owner in Prince George's County has been accused of stealing elderly customers identities in a lottery scheme.
- NEWS 4 November 28-There are still many questions surrounding Taylor's death and police in Florida wrapped up a news conference in which they tried to answer some of them.
- NEWS 4 November 28-A judge declared a mistrial in the Andre Hornsby case, Hornsby was facing corruption charges for steering educational contracts to his then girlfriend's company.

NEWS 4 November 28-Three people were injured after a police chase and crash in Calvert County this afternoon.

NEWS 4 November 29-Police investigate after a woman leaving a store is abducted and robbed.

NEWS 4 November 29-Today police say they think Taylor's murder was a random act.

NEWS 4 November 29-Police are investigating an alleged abduction at the Wheaton Shopping Town Plaza this afternoon.

NEWS 4 November 29-The search is on in Frederick County for missing cows nearly 2 dozen head of cattle have disappeared from a Burkettsville Maryland dairy farm this month.

NEWS 4 November 29-DC Mayor Adrian Fenty and police Chief Cathy Lanier are making changes to the District's Police Department to help fight gangs.

NEWS 4 November 30-Two of Michael Vick's co-defendants will spend more than a year behind bars.

NEWS 4 November 30-Three men from the Fort Myers area of South Florida are being questioned by police about the death of Sean Taylor.

NEWS 4 November 30-A judge declares a mistrial today in the manslaughter case of a man facing charges in the death of a Montgomery County police officer.

NEWS 4 November 30-A man remains holed up inside Hillary Clinton's campaign office in Rochester New Hampshire.

NEWS 4 December 3-A local martial arts instructor is in critical condition after police say the 40 year old Temple Hills man killed his wife with a sword and then tried to hang himself.

NEWS 4 December 3-Police in Montgomery County have identified a man found dead in Silver Spring last night.

NEWS 4 December 4-Three of the young men charged in Sean Taylor's murder made another court appearance today.

NEWS 4 December 4-A young man who lived to work on cars was killed for his car last night.

NEWS 4 December 4-Police in Takoma Park say good detective work led them to four car thieves.

NEWS 4 December 4-The Dc Council has hired two prestigious firms, the Law Offices of Wilmer, Hale and the accounting firm of Price Waterhouse Coopers to review the scandal and recommend reforms.

NEWS 4 December 4-No arrest yet in the murder of a Hyattsville man killed outside a café in Silver Spring over the weekend.

NEWS 4 December 5-Gunshots rang out in Northeast, one person was hit.

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NEWS 4 December 5-The lawyer for Eric Rivera, the accused triggerman in the deadly shooting says his client wants to reach a plea deal.

- NEWS 4 December 5-A metro bus driver who killed two women in a District intersection learned his punishment today.
- NEWS 4 December 5-A narcotics investigation in Fairfax County turned violent overnight.
- NEWS 4 December 6-Police in Omaha Nebraska say surveillance tape shows Robert Hawkins smuggled as assault rifle into Westroads Mall under a hooded sweatshirt.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Business owners in Bladensburg are on alert tonight after an employee was found dead inside a tire store where he worked.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Prince George's County police are trying to find out who killed a State Department worker inside her home last night.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Wednesday's attack in Omaha Nebraska killed 8 people before the gunman Robert Hawkins killed himself.
- NEWS 4 December 7-A recent rash of broken car windows has police in our area looking for suspects.
- NEWS 4 December 7-The Maryland National Capitol Park and Planning Commission has agreed to install lights along a 350-foot section of the trail that stretches from the West Hyattsville Metro Station to the Queenstown Apartments in Mount Rainier.
- NEWS 4 December 11-It's been nearly 8 months since the deadliest mass shooting in US History, but there are still lessons to be learned from the Virginia Tech rampage that left 33 dead.
- NEWS 4 December 11-maryland State Police have arrested a 16-year-old accused of spraying graffiti at Calvert High School.
- NEWS 4 December 11-Three students at a High School in Hagerstown are facing charges for allegedly putting diluted hydrochloric acid in a student's lunch.
- NEWS 4 December 11-Virginia State Police have announced plans for a new center that will help authorities develop strategies and tools to fight cyber crime.
- NEWS 4 December 11-A 77-year-old woman says she's the victim of a crime that literally made no cents, the mugger got 47 cents.
- NEWS 4 December 12-Police on the scene of a bank robbery on I street; they are investigating its connection to bomb threats at two other banks today.
- NEWS 4 December 12-DC Police are looking for two men accused of shooting at an off-duty police officer last night.
- NEWS 4 December 12-A local Deacon is under arrest tonight charged with a crime that dates back to the 1960's and 70's.
- NEWS 4 December 12-A woman was walking in the 100 block of 7<sup>th</sup> street in Laurel when she was struck and killed.

NEWS 4 December 12-Earlier this week disgraced football star Michael Vick was sentenced to 23 months in prison on dog-fighting charges.

NEWS 4 December 12-Dc Police want residents to turn in their guns, police Chief Kathy Lanier announced plans to hold another Gun Amnesty Program on Saturday.

NEWS 4 December 13-Almost an two-year long investigation into the use of illegal steroids finds a widespread problem that affected every team in the sport.

NEWS 4 December 13-A 28-year-old Fredericksburg woman is in jail charged with raping a teenage girl.

NEWS 4 December 13-A lawyer for one of the suspects accused of murdering Sean Taylor says his client is willing to cooperate with prosecutors.

NEWS 4 December 13-Police in Loudoun Count want to know how a teenager ended up dead by the side of the road.

NEWS 4 December 13-Police in Maryland are investigating a possible hate crime on a Baltimore bus.

NEWS 4 December 13-Eight Virginia teenagers are under arrest accused in a summer burglary spree.

NEWS 4 December 14-Police say an innocent bystander was shot in front of a grocery store in the 100 block of Kennedy Street.

NEWS 4 December 14-The search is on for the suspect in another drive-by shooting in our area, the shooting happened early this morning in the Kentlands area of Prince George's County.

NEWS 4 December 14-Federal prosecutors say they will retry former Prince George's County Schools Chief Andre Hornsby.

NEWS 4 December 14-Police say the 15 year old was in a stolen limo, he aimed the car at the two officers on bikes then gunned the engine.

NEWS 4 December 17-Police believe they know who hit and killed a district couple along I-95 then ran on foot.

NEWS 4 December 17-A quiet Sunday morning turned into a frightening robbery for two female workers in Alexandria.

NEWS 4 December 18-The latest attack happened at the intersection of Backlick Road and Braddock Road in Annandale yesterday morning.

NEWS 4 December 18-School officials are investigating allegations that the crowd racially taunted a black player.

NEWS 4 December 18-A witness in the hit and run deaths of a district couple hopes her pleas will reach the driver still on the run.

NEWS 4 December 18-a wild police chase through the District today ends with a police officer and another man injured.

- NEWS 4 December 18-A paralyzed man will now be able to get around again after his wheelchair was stolen on Friday; the crime was caught on tape.
- NEWS 4 December 18-Two men who robbed a check cashing store on Richmond Highway in Alexandria bound the hands of two female workers.
- NEWS 4 December 19-It was last January when two Marlo Furniture deliverymen were shot at the home of Keith Washington, a former Homeland Security Official with Prince George's County.
- NEWS 4 December 19-A female solider found dead at Fort Belvoir Monday has been identified as Sergeant 1<sup>st</sup> Class Carolyn Farrar-Johnson.
- NEWS 4 December 19-A piano teacher is charged with improperly touching a student and tonight police want to know if there are other victims.
- NEWS 4 December 19-In the district a police officer is charged with trying to arrange sex with a teenage boy.
- NEWS 4 December 20-The attacks began in August, there were two attacks just yesterday there have been at least seven in all.
- NEWS 4 December 20-Officer Christopher Nicholson was a small town police officer gunned down last night in Maryland and now there is an arrest.
- NEWS 4 December 20-A daylong search for a carjacked kitten has paid off, animal lovers feared the worst yesterday when a car thief drove off with the cat still inside.
- NEWS 4 December 24-An investigation into illegal guns ends with a shootout with police and one person dead.
- NEWS 4 December 25-Several people found their parked cars damaged in northwest this morning.
- NEWS 4 December 26-It happened in Gaithersburg in a park near Route 28 and Muddy Branch Road, police say that's where they found the body of 55 year-old Andrea Winters.
- NEWS 4 December 26-A West Springfield family wants to know who would steal a Christmas display from their front yard.
- NEWS 4 December 27-A young boy is recovering tonight after being shot in the leg in the Monrovia section of Frederick County.
- NEWS 4 December 27-DC police are once again urging gun owners to turn in their weapons.
- NEWS 4 December 28-The government says it has proof that Militants aligned with Al Qaeda and the Taliban were responsible for Bhutto's death.
- NEWS 4 December 28-DC police were conducting an undercover drug sting when two suspects pulled a gun on an officer.
- NEWS 4 December 28-A woman was found badly injured laying in the street on Jefferson Davis Highway in Alexandria.

NEWS 4 December 28-Police arrested three women yesterday who they say were allegedly involved in a prostitution operation.

NEWS 4 December 29-A 26-year-old woman is dead after a house fire in Bethesda overnight.

NEWS 4 December 29-The man who shot and paralyzed Alabama Governor George Wallace was released from prison.

NEWS 4 December 29-Prince George's County police have arrested a man suspected of shooting a mother who was trying to protect her son.

## **Politics**

NEWS 4 October1-There's a 600-million dollar budget shortfall facing the state of Virginia.

NEWS 4 October 1-A flurry of activity at the Supreme Court today as the justices officially open their new term.

NEWS 4 October 1-New laws went into effect today that will impact worker pay, jail time and driving privileges for some Marylanders.

NEWS 4 October 2-The County Board of Supervisors will have to decide on a controversial issue of denying services to and checking the status of suspected illegal immigrants.

NEWS 4 October 2-Prince William County's Human Rights Commission says the anti-immigration resolution is having a negative impact.

NEWS 4 October 2-The head of a private security firm Blackwater tells Congress his group has not acted inappropriately in Iraq.

NEWS 4 October 3-As expected President Bush today vetoed a Children's Health insurance program for poor kids.

NEWS 4 October 4-Virginia is reaping the benefits of a multi-state settlement with a pharmaceutical company that made oxycontin.

NEWS 4 October 4-DC officials, firefighters and community members held a round table discussion today to discuss safety concerns about City's water system.

NEWS 4 October 5-Virginia Senator John Warner is out of the hospital and back at work just days after undergoing two procedures to correct an irregular heartbeat.

NEWS 4 October 8-The Frederick County Board of County Commissions will vote tomorrow on a proposal to deny services to illegal immigrants.

NEWS 4 October 8-The immigrant community in Prince William County plans a work stoppage tomorrow.

NEWS 4 October 8-Democrats are hoping to take control of the state Senate in Virginia next year.

NEWS 4 October 9-In Frederick County a vote on a proposal to deny services to illegal's.

NEWS 4 October 9-In Frederick County Maryland today the Board of Commissions struggled with the immigration problem they face.

NEWS 4 October 9-Virginia is facing a major deficit and Governor Tim Kaine has proposed dipping into the Commonwealth's rainy day fund to erase the red ink.

NEWS 4 October 9-One of the County's largest utilities has settled a lawsuit with the Government and will become more environmentally friendly.

NEWS 4 October 10-The students at the center of a controversial anti-muslim flier are speaking out about their motives.

NEWS 4 October 10-Today a powerful Washington Law Firm filed a lawsuit to stop Prince William County from clamping down.

NEWS 4 October 10-The Bush Administration hopes a new mortgage industry coalition will help homeowners faced with foreclosure.

NEWS 4 October 11-Officials with the Prince William County Board of Supervisors and a group opposed to illegal immigrants are responding to a lawsuit filed in federal court.

NEWS 4 October 11-There are proposals tonight to enlarge the size of the National Mall downtown and to make it more visitor friendly.

NEWS 4 October 11-The Nation's oldest Civil Rights Organizations is searching for a new leader.

NEWS 4 October 11-DC's Mayor is reacting today to the potential 100 million dollar wrongful death lawsuit that will be brought against the city for the death of 14 year old Deonte Rawlings.

NEWS 4 October 11-Virginia voters go to the polls in less than a month.

NEWS 4 October 17-Today people in Prince William got to share their opinions in advance of the vote.

NEWS 4 October 17-Virginia state Senator Chuck Colgan announced a new proposal to stop companies from hiring illegal immigrants.

NEWS 4 October 17-On Capitol Hill there's a push to get legislation approved that would tighten gun control laws.

NEWS 4 October 17-A state task force charged with beefing up enforcement of immigration laws has voted on proposals to crack down on violators.

NEWS 4 October 17-DC Mayor Adrian Fenty today promised that all city schools will have adequate heat this winter.

NEWS 4 October 17-DC Mayor Adrian Fenty announced this morning that DC taxis will switch from a zone system to one with meters.

NEWS 4 October 17-Retirees will see only a small increase in their paychecks next year.

NEWS 4 October 17-The highly contentious immigration debate came to a head in Prince William County last night as lawmakers voted unanimously to toughen laws on illegal immigrates.

NEWS 4 October 17-Despite the passing of the Prince William County resolution it may be some time before any action is actually taken.

NEWS 4 October 17-The Dalai Lama received the Congressional Gold Medal in an elaborate ceremony today.

NEWS 4 October 18-Some road improvements are ahead for parts of Adams Morgan and a federal grant will help pave the way.

NEWS 4 October 18-Hospital officials say at least 108 people were killed when two explosions went off in Karachi Pakistan.

NEWS 4 October 18-A new poll shows that Democrat Mark Warner leads his potential Republican rivals by a wide margin in the race for Virginia's Senate seat.

NEWS 4 October 18-President Bush's veto of the so-called s-chip program will stand.

NEWS 4 October 19-DC Mayor Adrian Fenty just shook up the city's health department, firing doctor Greg Pane.

NEWS 4 October 19-Next month voters in Fairfax County will be asked to vote on a bond referendum that would allow the County to borrow up to 110-million dollars to improve transportation.

NEWS 4 October 22-Protesters are upset with the two groups Monetary and lending policies.

NEWS 4 October 23-A town in Frederick County will decide tonight if a Muslim Group can buy land to host large religious retreats.

NEWS 4 October 23-With two weeks to go until Election Day the battle for Board Chairman in Loudoun County has turned ugly.

NEWS 4 October 23-Maryland Governor Martin O'Malley wants state legislators to act now to close a looming budget deficit.

NEWS 4 October 23-Virginia is speeding up work on the interstate 66 and route 29 interchange.

NEWS 4 October 23-Virginia Governor Tim Kaine has picked a date for a special election to fill the seat of Congresswoman Jo Ann Davis.

NEWS 4 October 24-The race is heating up over allegations made by critics that Incumbent Scott York recently quit his job with a developer because of conflicts of interest as an elected official.

NEWS 4 October 25-President Bush is touring the wildfires in Southern California today and he is promising federal assistance.

NEWS 4 October 25-Tensions between the United States and Iran are rising, today the Bush Administration slapped harsh new sanctions against Teheran for its alleged support for terrorism.

NEWS 4 October 25-Republican Congressman Ton Davis announced this morning he will not run for the US Senate in Virginia next year.

NEWS 4 October 25-Virginia voters the polls in 12 days to choose members of the General Assembly.

NEWS 4 October 25-Metro is considering selling part of the Takoma Metro Station to a developer; Mayor Adrian Fenty supports the plan.

NEWS 4 October 26-A Virginia State Senate candidate from Fairfax is alleging that a piece of campaign mail sent by his opponent put his family at risk.

NEWS 4 October 26-If the Maryland Presidential primary were held today Democrats would elect Hillary Rodham Clinton and Republicans would pick Rudy Giuliani.

NEWS 4 October 26-A recent news conference by the federal emergency management agency about the Southern California wildfires id drawing criticism.

NEWS 4 October 29-Governor Martin O'Malley hopes to limit the budget deficit by legalizing slots.

NEWS 4 October 29-The American Bar Association is calling for a moratorium on Executives, saying some states unfairly process its death penalty cases.

NEWS 4 October 30-Virginia voters head to the polls in one week, they will decide several key races in our area and statewide.

NEWS 4 October 30-Governor Tim Kaine kicked off a weeklong campaign blitz in Northern Virginia today.

NEWS 4 October 30-It's a tale of two communities in the debate over illegal immigration.

NEWS 4 October 31-It's one of the busiest days of the year for taxis and many drivers are on strike.

NEWS 4 October 31-Prince William County's Chairman race is being viewed as one of the most pivotal in the Northern Virginia County's history.

NEWS 4 November 1-Hundreds of DC residents are celebrating after Mayor Adrian Fenty kicked off the demolition of the Waterfront Mall.

NEWS 4 November 1-In Loudoun County a three-way race for Sheriff has stirred up plenty of debate over the issues of illegal immigration and ticket fixing.

NEWS 4 November 2-In Fairfax County the State senate race between Democrat Jeanne Marie Devolites – Davis and Democrat Chop Peterson illustrates the intensity.

NEWS 4 November 6-Prince George's County lawmakers want the Governor's support for a new proposal that could save the county's hospital system.

NEWS 4 November 6-A Senate Committee in Maryland is voting today on parts of Governor Martian O'Malley's plan to address the state's budget deficit.

NEW 4 November 6-Voters in three Prince George's County's largest municipalities are casting ballots today.

NEWS 4 November 6-A house committee is holding a hearing today on Capitol Hill to discuss a new bill that could help protect consumers.

- NEWS 4 November 6-President Bush wants the federal government to toughen its policies of products from abroad.
- NEWS 4 November 7-Both campaigns were up until the middle of the night nervously watching vote totals.
- NEWS 4 November 7-Voters in Loudoun County said emphatically that they want the Board of Supervisors to focus on smart growth.
- NEWS 4 November 7-The Federal Trade Commission announced big fines against six companies that broke the do not call rule.
- NEWS 4 November 7-Mayor Adrian Fenty announced the sale of Greater Southeast Community Hospital.
- NEWS 4 November 8-The state of California is suing the federal government in an attempt to impose sticker auto emission standards.
- NEWS 4 November 13-The Supreme Court took no action today on the District's handgun ban.
- NEWS 4 November 13-A transgender bill is creating a lot of controversy in Montgomery County.
- NEWS 4 November 14-Democrats in the House expected to pass a bill that ties funding for the Iraq War with bringing troops home.
- NEWS 4 November 14-There will be a recount in a hotly contested Virginia election race.
- NEWS 4 November 14-Maryland's General Assembly is getting ready for what may be the biggest fight of the special session, a showdown on slots.
- NEWS 4 November 14-New York's Governor is backing off a controversial plan to give illegal immigrants driver's licenses.
- NEWS 4 November 15-Pro-growth supervisors in Loudoun County can still approve thousands of new homes before leaving office at the end of the year.
- NEWS 4 November 15-35 million dollars in federal money may soon be on its way to Northern Virginia.
- NEWS 4 November 15-Former DC police Chief Charles Ramsey has a new job, he's been named Philadelphia's new police Commissioner.
- NEWS 4 November 15-Unexpected twists and turns today in Maryland's special session.
- NEWS 4 November 16-The Maryland House of Delegates is inching closer to voting on a bill that would let voters decide whether to bring slot machines to Maryland.
- NEWS 4 November 16-Decomcratic leaders in the Senate have once again failed to pass legislation that would order troops home from Iraq.
- NEWS 4 November 19-Virginia's 2008 US Senate race will feature a face-off of former Governors.
- NEWS 4 November 22-A small town in Missouri is taking steps to ensure that Internet harassment doesn't go unpunished.

NEWS 4 November 26-An historic peace summit begins in Annapolis tomorrow and security is incredibly tight in the city.

NEWS 4 November 27-Israeli and Palestinian leaders announced that they will resume talks that broke off 7 years ago.

NEWS 4 November 28-Montgomery County is known as one of the richest communities in the country, but it now faces a budget crisis.

NEWS 4 November 28-In Fairfax County residential property assessments are expected to be off by about 4 percent, driving down real estate tax revenues this year.

NEWS 4 November 30-DC Mayor Adrian Fenty is working to build a new crime lab in the city.

NEWS 4 November 30-Local officials are considering adding a County tax on gas.

NEWS 4 November 30-Some DC residents are frustrated with Mayor Fenty's plan to close almost two dozen city schools and so is one city council member.

NEWS 4 November 2-The Maryland House of Delegates is considering a proposed Green Fund that would raise money for the Chesapeake Bay restoration.

NEWS 4 November 5-A new art exhibit in Washington combines beautiful work with a disturbing subject matter.

NEWS 4 November 6-The crew of the Space Shuttle Discovery is making final preparations for its return home.

NEWS 4 November 13-The Polar Bear is in trouble, it's hunting grounds are shrinking as the ice melts in the North because of global warming.

NEWS 4 November 15-They say if you don't like the weather around Washington just wait a few days.

NEWS 4 November 16-The wind is creating problems for some homeowners and tourists.

NEWS 4 November 28-County Executive Ike Leggett announced a new TV recycling program.

NEWS 4 November 28-Montgomery County leaders are encouraging residents to use energy efficient lighting during the holidays.

- NEWS 4 December 3-Virginia Senator Jim Webb is making a bold prediction about next year's presidential race.
- NEWS 4 December 4-A new report says deregulation is not working and may result in severe shortage of electricity if something isn't done soon.
- NEWS 4 December 6-There could be some help on the horizon for homeowners who fell victim to sub prime mortgage rates.
- NEWS 4 December 6-City leaders may try a new strategy in their effort to win voting rights in Congress.
- NEWS 4 December 7-In less than a month the first decisions of the 2008 presidential campaign will be made.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Tim Russert will continue his Meet The Candidates series.
- NEWS 4 December 7-Protesters gathered outside the Wilson Building today to demonstrate against mayor Adrian Fenty's plan to close 23 schools in the District next year.
- NEWS 4 December 7-The brand new Giant Food Store on Alabama Avenue is the only full service grocery store in all of Ward 8.
- NEWS 4 December 11-CIA Director Michael Hayden is testifying before Congress today, but he won't be talking about the agency's interrogation techniques.
- NEWS 4 December 11-Mayor Fenty announced the discovery of an additional 32-million dollar deficit.
- NEWS 4 December 11-Budget woes could mean cuts to public safety services in Montgomery County.
- NEWS 4 December 12-Federal immigration officials have rejected an ambitions plan to allow all jurisdictions in Prince William County to work together to screen illegal immigrants.
- NEWS 4 December 12-Virginia Governor Tim Kaine announced a new plan to expand health care access for thousands of people across the state.
- NEWS 4 December 12-In Fairfax County the down turn in the Real Estate Market has leaders projecting a budget shortfall of over 200 million dollars.
- NEWS 4 December 13-Lawmakers on Capitol Hill want to make sure money raised by Charities for Veterans really goes to vets.
- NEWS 4 December 14-President Bush says he hopes the Mitchell Report will end the steroid era of baseball.
- NEWS 4 December 14-Hilliary Clinton has denounced comments that a former campaign official made comments about Barack Obama using drugs.
- NEWS 4 December 14-Candidates have about as many days left to get the attention of voters before the first primary.
- NEWS 4 December 14-A committee examining civil Rights in Virginia is meeting today to discuss Prince William County's illegal immigration resolution.

- NEWS 4 December 17-Top prosecutor Linda Singer for Mayor Fenty resigned today.
- NEWS 4 December 17-DC Mayor Adrian Fenty is looking to shake up the city government work force to make room for what he calls the next generation of leaders and workers.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Maryland is one of the big winners in the federal government's Base Realignment and Closure Program.
- NEWS 4 December 17-A Northern Virginia State lawmaker wants certain government documents to be English only making many services currently provided to Spanish speaking residents illegal.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Virginia Governor Tim Kaine promised no new taxes in his budget plan today.
- NEWS 4 December 17-Congress is trying to avoid another passport crunch like the one that happened last summer.
- NEWS 4 December 18-A surprising twist today in an ongoing battle over a high-density housing project proposed for Loudoun County.
- NEWS 4 December 18-The DC City Council taking another bold step to reform the City's Schools.
- NEWS 4 December 19-Senator Trent Lott walked off the Senate floor for the final time last night, Lott is retiring after 35 years in Congress.
- NEWS 4 December 25-White House presidential candidates took a break from the campaign trail today.
- NEWS 4 December 26-The push in Virginia to identify illegal immigrants could spill into the streets.
- NEWS 4 December 27-The President urged the Pakistani people to honor Bhutto's memory by pursuing her ideas and her beliefs in Democracy.
- NEWS 4 December 27-Bhutto's assassination has already unleashed a wave of violence across Pakistan.
- NEWS 4 December 27-Bhutto was shot and killed after she addressed a campaign rally earlier today.
- NEWS 4 December 28-With just six days to go until the Iowa caucus Bhutto's assassination may play a role in the presidential election.
- NEWS 4 December 28-Yahoo poll shows pocketbook issues are still more important to voters at this stage.

## 4th QUARTER 2007 PSA REPORT

PSA	<b>RUN DATES</b>	# OF SPOTS	LENGTH
AD COUNCIL/EARLY CHILDHOOD DISCRIMINATION	12/19-12/25	3x	:30
AD COUNCIL/AUTISM AWARENESS®	10/6-12/30	21x	:10/:30
AD COUNCIL/THETVBOSS.ORG	10/1-12/31	29x	:30
AD COUNCIL/FIGHT GLOBAL WARMING	12/24	<b>~</b>	:30
WHITMAN WALKER CLINIC/AIDS WALK	10/1-10/5	20x	:15/:30
AMER DIABETES ASSN/MANAGE DIABETES	12/17-12/31	14x	:30/:60
FRIENDS OF THE NATIONAL ZOO: BOO AT THE ZOO	10/5-10/23	46x	:15
CHRONIC FATIGUE & IMMUNE SYNDROME	12/24-12/31	3x	:30
COMMUNITY CALENDAR	12/10-12/31	45x	:30
JUVENILE DIABETES RESEARCH FOUNDATION WALK10/1-26	10/5-10/26	77×	:15/:30
FANNIE MAE FOUNDATION HOMELESSNESS WALK	10/27-11/16	76x	:15/:30
FOOD4 FAMILIES/GEORGETOWN NURSES, RADIO ONE	11/3-11/18	105x	:15/:30
FREDDIE MAC FOUNDATION ADOPTION EXPO 12/1	11/19-11/30	64X	:15/:30
GW HOSPITAL/GET HEALTHY 4 LIFE: BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH	10/11-10/31	61x	:15
HISPANIC HER MONTH/FREDDIE MAC FOUNDATION	10/2-10/15	51x	:15/:30
FOOD 4 FAMILIES FOOD DRIVE @ METRO COOKING & ENTERTAINING EXPO	10/31-11/3	20x	:15
NBC4 SAFE&SECURE/DAYLIGHT SAVINGS	11/2-11/3	11x	:15
SALVATION ARMY/COAT DRIVE/GEORGTOWN NURSES	12/14-12/31	61	:15/:30
SALVATION ARMY/COAT DRIVE/BERGMAN'S CLEANERS	12/17-12/28	36	:15
SALVATION ARMY/TOYLAND/ PATTON BOGGS12/7-17	12/7-12/17	73x	:15/:30
NBC4 SAFE&SECURE COMMUNITY SHRED-IT/ PNC BANK 12/8	11/22-12/8	78	:15/:30
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UD DEPT. OF EDUCATION/CHILD OBESE15 12/26 ◎	10/20-12/22	က	:15
US DEPT. OF ENERGY/ENERGY HOG:	10/6-12/29	24x	:30/:60
US DEPT. OF HEALTH/CHILD OBESE30 12/26◎	10/6-12/26	8x	:30
US DEPT OF JUSTICE/ VIOLENCE AGNST WOMEN	10/27-12/25	×9	:30
US DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION/BUCKLE UP	10/6-12/9	24x	:10/:15/:30
WIRELESS FOUND/AMBER ALERT30	10/25-12/24	3×	:30